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GRAND LODGE, A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA **in the Province of Ontario**

At the One Hundred and Fifteenth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, held in the City of Toronto, commencing Wednesday, July 15, A.D. 1970, A.L. 5970.

Present were:

THE GRAND MASTER

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R.W. Bro. G. Ivor Davies	Grand Senior Warden
R.W. Bro. R. L. Burns	Grand Junior Warden
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R.W. Bro. M. C. Hooper	Grand Treasurer
M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon	Grand Secretary
R.W. Bro. E. H. Guthrie	Grand Registrar
V.W. Bro. G. Carlton Phair	Grand Director of Ceremonies

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.W. Bros. W. L. Wright, H. L. Martyn, J. A. Irvine, J. N. Allan, D. J. Gunn, E. G. Dixon (Hon.).

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Grey	Harold E. McNaughton
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London East	Norman L. Lansdell
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Toronto 2	William Scott
Toronto 3	Donald M. Wilson
Toronto 4	Leighton L. McLeod
Toronto 5	F. Leonard Southgate
Toronto 6	Aubrey H. L. Barker
Toronto 7	A. Lou Copeland
Victoria	T. Leslie Prentice
Wellington	W. Edwin C. Wilson
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†† Acting for Donald T. Crawford—III.

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The M.W., the Grand Master, B. B. Foster, distinguished guests and officers of Grand Lodge took their

places in the Auditorium of the Cedarbrae Collegiate Institute at 10:00 in the forenoon.

MASTER MASONS ADMITTED

The Grand Master invited all Master Masons to enter and take seats in the balcony.

NATIONAL ANTHEM

The brethren joined in singing the National Anthem followed by "My Country, 'Tis of Thee", and "Two Countries by the Sea."

The brethren joined in singing three verses of "Unto the Hills."

DELEGATES REGISTERED

No. 2, Niagara, Niagara-on-the-Lake—F. M. Gorham, J. B. Bell, F. L. Collard, I. B. Collard, W. E. Brown, E. A. Staines, L. E. Garrett, E. W. Stewart, D. McNeil, S. B. Welstead.

No. 3, Ancient St. John's, Kingston—H. R. Lyons, H. G. H. Thompson, E. H. Guthrie, G. H. Dover, R. A. Hoddy, J. O. Cliff, W. D. Stevens, W. C. F. Saunders, W. H. Gummer, H. P. Wilson.

No. 5, Sussex, Brockville—L. Henderson, R. H. Wallace, H. R. Sheridan.

No. 6, The Barton, Hamilton—E. S. McDougall, J. T. Broadbent, C. W. Hagyard.

No. 7, Union, Grimsby—G. Lounsbury, J. M. Douglas, I. G. Johnson, A. Trapnell.

No. 9, Union, Napanee—W. G. Ramsay, L. Wagar.

No. 10, Norfolk, Simcoe—E. A. Morden, N. E. Ackland, B. Smith, J. H. Johnston, W. Johnston, C. E. Letherby, N. E. Jensen, B. F. Johnson, B. G. Cattell.

No. 11, Moira, Belleville—G. C. Stratten, H. K. Elliott, S. T. Reid, H. L. Martyn, C. A. Faulkner, W. J. Anderson, J. R. Grant, H. S. Robbins, A. W. Marner.

No. 14, True Britons', Perth—R. E. Kirkham, R. E. Hughes, M. Dowdall, J. A. Jordan.

No. 15, St. George's, St. Catharines—G. Peters, R. J. Penfound, J. B. Sainsbury, H. W. Byrne, J. Johnstone, A. G. Sweeting, W. A. Darker, J. L. Runnalls, A. G. Kinnear, J. B. Thompson.

No. 16, St. Andrew's, Toronto—J. Connolly, G. Woolmer, H. L. Martyn, J. Adams, J. J. Henderson, S. M. Ketcheson, A. M. Rhamey, T. H. W. Salmon, A. C. Geddes, C. E. Waldron.

No. 17, St. John's, Cobourg—C. Wellman, H. Seale, C. Wheatley, W. T. Greenhough.

No. 18, Prince Edward, Picton—C. A. McCormack, C. P. Reid, J. V. Graydon, A. Collier.

No. 20, St. John's, London—W. A. Graham, S. J. Hanna, J. A. Irvine, A. J. Graham, R. C. Keeler, W. J. Anderson, W. H. Kipp, H. R. Richmond, W. A. Smith, A. E. Bilbrough, C. J. Hirschleber, A. M. George, H. G. Hotham, H. M. Crockett, E. E. Scruton, B. I. Maguire, C. O. Logan.

No. 21a, St. John's, Vankleek Hill—S. E. Howes, G. E. Elvidge, S. LeRoy.

No. 22, King Solomon's, Toronto—N. Zolumoff, D. Mackay, B. Elliott, M. S. Atlas, G. P. Warner, J. D. Alliston, J. B. Stevenson, D. M. Tozer, G. S. Pitcher.

No. 23, Richmond, Richmond Hill—A. L. Murphy, J. Downey, R. C. E. Gemmill, H. L. Martyn, J. Hamilton, J. Anderson, K. W. Robbins.

No. 24, St. Francis, Smiths Falls—L. A. Hoppins, G. H. Patterson, J. J. Carpenter, C. A. Bailey.

No. 25, Ionic, Toronto—G. T. G. Scott, S. L. Rodway, D. M. Fleming.

No. 26, Ontario, Port Hope—R. Goheen, H. Churchley, W. Dickinson, J. Gilmer, G. Finnie, C. P. McKenzie, M. L. Buckingham.

No. 27, St. Observance, Hamilton—T. Stenhouse, W. J. Walker, J. W. Fulkerson, J. A. Irvine, G. H. R. Crawshaw, G. F. Kingsmill, R. G. Truscott, J. C. Guy.

No. 28, Mount Zion, Kemptville—G. Vander Vaart.

No. 29—United, Brighton—F. E. Stewart, B. C. Thompson, E. K. Taylor, H. B. McConnell, K. A. McQuoid.

No. 30, Composite, Whitby—H. Boake, W. P. Price, A. Minto, R. W. Agg, L. H. Inkpen.

No. 31, Jerusalem, Bowmanville—F. A. Osmond, A. B. Lobb, R. E. Hendry, C. E. Allin, J. A. Billett, W. Ayre, A. W. G. Northcutt.

No. 32, Amity, Dunnville—L. I. Mumby, W. Caughell, J. N. Allan, D. Phillips, F. R. Martin, H. W. Bartlett, O. M. Krick.

No. 33, Maitland, Goderich—J. H. Aitken, R. M. Mugford, H. W. Shore.

No. 34—Thistle, Amherstburg—B. Edwards.

No. 35, St. John's, Cayuga—H. Weldfong, B. B. Foster, M. G. Gowing, A. G. Skinner, R. M. Murphy, M. Coverdale.

No. 37, King Hiram, Ingersoll—H. R. Nagle, J. R. Barnett, H. J. Upfold.

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No. 39, Mount Zion, Brooklin—N. Grandy, D. Coates, L. McCoy, W. G. Manning, J. Batty, M. Dring, W. Medland, R. Richardson, G. Corner, G. Smith, S. Murison, E. Powell, J. F. Patterson.

No. 40, St. John's, Hamilton—A. Page, A. Kerr, H. G. Edgar, C. E. Heal, W. L. Sommerville, W. G. Welby, S. E. Lavenbein, F. H. Furry.

No. 41, St. George's, Kingsville—T. V. Maxwell, H. R. Cowan.

No. 42, St. George's, London—M. C. Beaton, E. J. McFadden, G. J. Scholz, S. A. Cushman, D. A. McDonald, H. H. Pope, S. F. Ticknor, H. S. May, R. W. Norris, C. M. Hunter, W. Wilson, E. S. Bastow, E. C. Lee, M. M. Malott.

No. 43, King Solomon's, Woodstock—K. Moore, R. Hargreaves, A. Hargreaves, N. Weakley, J. L. Griffith, T. F. Pellow, K. Hammerton.

No. 44, St. Thomas, St. Thomas—A. Casselman.

No. 45, Brant, Brantford—J. P. Michie, K. H. Baker, R. W. McFadden.

No. 46, Wellington, Chatham—G. C. Marvell, A. R. H. Gough, D. R. Bexton, R. J. New, H. D. Paulucci, K. Munk, V. Sloan, J. H. Menzies, F. N. Smith, T. M. Wishart, W. L. Chandler, R. S. Patterson, W. H. Henneker, F. M. Williams.

No. 47, Great Western, Windsor—H. E. Chammey, W. R. Chammey, L. Mann, R. J. McMonagle, A. R. Bourne, G. I. Baillie, E. C. Brown.

No. 48, Madoc, Madoc—C. Hamilton, E. Pigden, T. Lloyd, K. West.

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No. 55, Merrickville, Merrickville—E. J. W. Warren, J. H. Kidd, E. Pitcher, G. Jackson.

No. 56, Victoria, Sarnia—D. D. Lasenby, R. A. Cadwallader, J. Watson, W. R. Purves, J. A. Rose, H. Russell, H. S. Barnes, L. Crooks, A. Campbell.

No. 57, Harmony, Binbrook—B. Reid, O. Bell, E. Hendershott.

No. 58, Doric, Ottawa—K. R. L. Evan, C. D. Donald.

No. 61, Acacia, Hamilton—A. S. Laver, D. J. Jagger, R. J. Connor, H. L. Martyn, D. R. Shaw, C. D. Robinson, J. W. Covert.

No. 62, St. Andrew's, Caledonia—G. E. Wales, R. Hoover, C. Young, G. Thompson, E. Smuck, N. Lawrence.

No. 63, St. John's, Carleton Place—W. H. Edwards.

No. 64, Kilwinning, London—D. G. Cookson, W. S. Brock, J. A. Irvine, W. D. Luxton, D. H. Finlayson, E. C. Smith, W. L. Davies, J. E. Stackhouse.

No. 65, Rehoboam, Toronto—S. Baily, E. J. Swan, H. L. Martyn, S. F. D. Taylor, R. C. McMath.

No. 66, Durham, Newcastle—M. Brown, W. R. Kean, L. Gaines, G. Rickard, J. J. Scott, F. LeGresley, S. J. Lancaster.

No. 68, St. John's, Ingersoll—J. I. Pettit, W. Lambert, C. N. Weatherall, W. Woolcox.

No. 69, Stirling, Stirling—B. Woodbeck, R. C. Hoard, H. Vandervoort, J. L. Good.

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No. 91, Colborne, Colborne—C. McQuoid, K. Dyer, G. Whaley, R. A. Smith.

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No. 98, True Blue, Bolton—J. Sneath, J. Hesp, M. Jess, C. A. Leggett, H. Long.

No. 99, Tuscan, Newmarket—B. Shanks, J. Chowan, H. Hill.

No. 100, Valley, Dundas—H. H. Chamberlain, R. Quackenbosh, A. Lawson, A. N. Hill.

No. 101, Corinthian, Peterborough—D. G. Smith, J. W. Foskett, J. N. E. Rexe, W. R. Martin, R. M. Krant, H. A. Baptie.

No. 103, Maple Leaf, St. Catharines—C. H. Fuzzen, T. Lees, A. W. Pierce, W. M. Secord, E. R. Rodgers, B. Honsberger, E. Green, C. E. Nichols, W. C. Hoggan.

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No. 106, Burford, Burford—G. Minshall, H. Gurney, H. Davidson, H. Bailey.

No. 107, St. Paul's, Lambeth—A. L. McConnell, J. A. Irvine.

No. 108, Blenheim, Princeton—C. Riach, R. Ovington, H. Wight, J. Perry, G. Peffers.

No. 109, Albion, Harrowsmith—A. E. Clark, H. B. Sills.

No. 110, Central, Prescott—H. R. Ruehle, D. M. Smith.

No. 113, Wilson, Waterford—G. A. L. Berry, A. E. Broadley, G. E. Soul.

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No. 127, Franck, Frankford—J. Putnam, J. Dorland, E. Anderson, E. Sine, R. Reid.

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No. 140, Malahide, Aylmer—C. Kipp, J. B. Wright, K. Freeman, E. Teeple.

No. 141, Tudor, Mitchell—C. Walkom, B. Skinner, C. Friend, R. Kraemer, T. Stewart, H. Dungey, H. M. Norris, O. Ovens, R. Baillie, H. Hambley, E. Brunk, J. Sorensen, A. C. Welk.

No. 143, Friendly Brothers', Iroquois—K. Kirkby, C. VanCamp, C. Brown.

No. 144, Tecumseh, Stratford—H. G. Livingstone, D. S. Copus.

No. 145, J. B. Hall, Millbrook—G. W. Kinsman, H. R. Andrews, J. R. Larmer, J. S. McGill.

No. 147, Mississippi, Almonte—D. J. McMullan, A. M. Hudson.

No. 148, Civil Service, Ottawa—R. M. Watt, D. R. Taggart, N. F. H. Bright, T. W. Clark, J. A. Macdonald, E. C. Scott, R. J. Parlee, J. Sim, E. D. Berry, C. B. Bassett.

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No. 151, Grand River, Kitchener—R. Oldfield, E. Flath, H. W. Rothaermel.

No. 153, Burns', Wyoming—K. Hart, L. Slack, D. Hart, L. Bryson.

No. 154, Irving, Lucan—W. C. Moody, A. F. McLean, J. A. Irvine, R. E. Murray.

No. 155, Peterborough, Peterborough—L. J. Lowe, E. McIlraith, R. K. Irwin, A. J. Cummings.

No. 156, York, Toronto—A. E. Mills, B. W. Edwards, R. C. Stephenson, J. W. Pearce, G. V. Hosang, E. A. Horswill, W. J. Edwards, L. R. Chester, H. W. Gray, W. Tindall, H. H. Ransom.

No. 157, Simpson, Newboro—A. B. Welch, S. S. Scovill, D. Bond, H. O. Polk, C. F. Good, J. D. Bulloch, G. Wing, E. H. Guthrie.

No. 158, Alexandra, Oil Springs—D. Croft, R. Ferguson, J. Randall.

No. 159, Goodwood, Richmond—W. B. Craig, T. H. Birtch, J. H. Ebbs, R. Neil, L. Wilson, G. Hill, J. Foster, A. E. Harrington.

No. 161, Percy, Warkworth—G. Meiklejohn, S. Lowe, G. Taylor, E. McKee.

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No. 591, North Gate, Toronto—R. J. Newell, E. A. MacFarlane, H. L. Martyn, K. B. Page, R. F. Lightfoot, F. C. Green, F. P. Lowry, A. W. Dixon, D. O. Cleverdon, G. Thackeray, P. C. Turner, A. E. Tone, W. J. Fraser.

No. 592, Fairbank, Toronto—D. Blogg, V. G. Shaw, F. P. Tonkin, C. M. Watson, D. J. Rutherford, E. H. Denman, F. G. Cluskey, G. Paul, J. D. Black.

No. 593, St. Andrew's, Hamilton—N. E. Fair, P. Wilkinson, R. Strachan, J. B. McConnachie, J. I. Carrick, D. J. Miller, B. Sixsmith, J. S. W. Hayworth, J. T. Broadbent, S. Davison.

No. 594, Hillcrest, Hamilton—A. S. Beck, G. Ostrosser, E. W. Nancekivell, V. I. Milne, D. H. Felker, N. Stewart.

No. 595, Rideau, Ottawa—W. J. Robinson, H. D. McCree, C. W. Bristow, L. A. Wood, L. J. McAdam.

No. 596, Martintown, Martintown—L. MacGregor.

No. 597, Temple, London—G. K. Bunkay, R. J. Somerville, W. D. White, S. Pedersen, N. Pilkey, R. H. Brownlee.

No. 598, Dominion, Windsor—G. Stannard, P. Houghton, D. Milburn, A. A. Robinson.

No. 599, Mount Dennis, Weston—E. C. Reeves, G. A. Balmer, K. McIntosh, K. A. Drage, G. H. Watson, F. H. Maxwell, F. S. Fordham.

No. 600, Maple Leaf, Etobicoke—J. C. Van Den Heuvel, H. Noble, E. P. Bruce, H. B. Hubbell, J. S. Somerville.

No. 601, St. Paul, Sarnia—J. Shields, K. Odell, R. Pollard, J. Brock, J. D. Wright.

No. 602, Hugh Murray, Hamilton—A. Beveridge, H. Martin, W. Shepherd, R. J. Woods, W. Overend, P. Hirst, J. Eaglesham, D. C. Matthews, H. Fairclough, D. H. G. Fairclough, R. C. Heels.

No. 603, Campbell, Campbellville—W. A. Wingrove, J. R. McPhail, H. R. McDonald, E. Readhead.

No. 604, Palace, Windsor—J. A. Wood, W. Bassi, R. J. Ridley, H. Taylor, T. J. Henry.

No. 605, Melita, Thornhill—A. Lee, H. L. Martyn, A. C. Gerrard, R. A. Kirk, S. B. Watson, G. McGowan, E. Lister.

No. 606, Unity, Toronto—E. J. Coe, P. Westwater, R. Wainwright, E. G. Vanwart, G. R. Sheard, P. Koteff, H. W. Jack, H. Browning, J. G. Dodd, J. B. Stevenson, E. Flath, R. E. Stansal, J. K. Davenport.

No. 607, Golden Fleece, Toronto—R. Wynn, A. G. Currie, W. Bron, H. R. Huxley, D. H. Jeans, D. W. Grierson, E. J. Barter, H. L. Martyn, D. G. Gunn, F. A. Fox, R. MacFarlane, R. W. Gerring, R. H. Green, C. S. Edwards, C. F. Bearden, D. W. Edwards, M. Kronby, J. K. Reid, J. A. Green.

No. 608, Gothic, Lindsay—G. Henry, W. Clarke, I. G. Rodd, R. F. Quibell, G. Thomson, H. H. McFadden, J. G. Richardson, B. A. Wilson.

No. 609, Tavistock, Tavistock—W. Ross, G. E. Rieder, D. McTavish, H. Miller.

No. 610, Ashlar, London—C. Salisbury, F. Edwards, P. Brown, H. Unwin, R. Palser.

No. 611, Huron-Bruce, Toronto—W. J. Sawyer, R. Graham, H. L. Martyn, D. B. Filsinger, R. W. Ellison, H. M. Kinsmen, G. M. Fleming, J. W. Ross, H. B. Wilkinson, S. W. MacLeod, J. H. King, M. Tolmie, C. DeLuca.

No. 612, Birch Cliff, Scarborough—R. W. Kerr, M. Andrews, D. L. Sloan, W. E. Dawe, R. L. Burns, R. J. West, H. G. Dixon, E. R. B. Taylor, A. Palmer, A. Young.

No. 613, Fort Erie, Fort Erie—K. G. Hooper, J. H. Yeo, B. Hardman, H. W. Stouffer.

No. 614, Adanac, St. Catharines—R. Binning, A. V. Hammond.

No. 616, Perfection, St. Catharines—F. C. Luby, R. L. Hoffman, J. H. Johnson, C. A. Sankey, W. C. Ellis, G. K. Trenholm.

No. 617, North Bay, North Bay—E. W. Knechtel, C. W. Hicks, J. McGowan, J. L. Runnalls, G. A. Coombs.

No. 618, Thunder Bay, Port Arthur—A. V. Chapman.

No. 619, Runnymede, Toronto—R. Partridge, H. Ross, R. Stewart.

No. 620, Bay of Quinte, Thornhill—T. Rhind, W. K. Baily, S. V. Humphrey, S. McEwen, G. Connell, E. J. Harwood, R. A. L. Thomas.

No. 621, Frontenac, Sharbot Lake—V. Garrett, G. Kirkham, W. Martin.

No. 623, Doric, Kirkland Lake—R. J. A. Dinnen, J. W. Bradley, W. E. Taylor, G. L. Hamilton.

No. 624, Dereham, Mount Elgin—C. A. Clark, L. D. Barrett, S. E. L. Woodman, J. F. Way, L. Miles.

No. 625, Hatherly, Sault Ste. Marie—C. C. Ferguson, R. C. Richards, W. L. Wright.

No. 626, Stamford, Niagara Falls—G. Rennie, G. A. Wilson, C. C. Martin, L. Gierson, C. S. Morningstar, A. Duncan, V. R. Hall.

No. 628, Glenrose, Elmira—R. M. Brubacher, R. R. Back, E. D. Wade, W. H. Otto.

No. 629, Grenville, Toronto—R. E. P. Coleman, J. Maybin, F. L. Southgate, H. L. Martyn, H. H. Berry, C. Seabrook, H. S. Ford, S. H. S. Brennan, J. S. Dodd, G. Paine, J. H. Kidd, G. Gilmer, O. H. Francis, W. J. Streight, R. Story, A. Scare.

No. 630, Prince of Wales, Toronto—D. Yerex, S. Redgrave, H. L. Martyn, H. M. McCaskill, W. A. Campbell, H. W. Hill, V. H. Clark, D. J. H. Thompson, W. Boston.

No. 631, Manitou, Emo—C. T. Schubring.

No. 632, Long Branch, Mimico—A. R. Medhurst, C. Petch, F. D. Haines, A. A. Kennedy, C. Wonfor.

No. 633, Hastings, Hastings—R. Timlin, L. W. Humphries, W. H. Mortlock, M. Dunford, R. E. McCracken.

No. 634, Delta, Toronto—J. G. Johnson, A. Olley, W. Scott, E. Flath, H. M. Gordon, T. K. Allan.

No. 635, Wellington, Toronto—J. J. Ryder, J. Ewin, R. E. Groshaw, E. J. Graham, L. A. Callingham, C. F. Peck, C. J. S. Nixon, E. Flath, J. H. Mitchell, W. T. Groskurth, N. J. Nixon, R. J. Godfrey.

No. 636, Hornepayne, Hornepayne—K. McIntyre.

No. 637, Caledonia, Toronto—A. Vuyk, J. A. Irvine, L. L. Querie, J. Watt, C. D. Ness, T. J. Arthur, C. C. Leek, H. Hargrave, R. V. Ewen, L. Chamberlain.

No. 638, Bedford, Toronto—J. W. Holder, A. H. L. Barker, G. A. Cowieson, J. Gibson, C. E. Barker, F. E. Malcolm, J. W. Done.

No. 639, Beach, Hamilton Beach—R. Churchill, C. Clark, C. Maling, P. B. Andrews.

No. 640, Anthony Sayer, Mimico—T. E. Alderwick, E. J. Rolfe, J. M. Davy.

No. 641, Garden, Windsor—K. B. Gordon, J. E. Murphy, J. A. Johnston, H. R. Banwell, J. Briggs.

No. 642, St. Andrew's, Windsor—S. A. Adams, R. Hasler, R. J. Smallhorn, G. E. Turner.

No. 643, Cathedral, Toronto—C. H. Watson, W. M. Law, D. Cormack.

No. 644, Simcoe, Toronto—A. S. Brown, K. J. Lee, J. P. McLaughlin, J. B. Scatcherd, R. A. Figueroa, J. R. Flynn, R. C. Ward, S. Smith, S. Thornton.

No. 645, Lake Shore, Mimico—H. G. Blanche, G. A. Down, W. J. Stewart, E. C. Horwood, L. M. Allman, C. E. Trafford, J. P. O'Sullivan, M. S. Cooke, H. E. Newton, D. C. Reddie, W. T. Shaw, W. D. Coombs, E. A. Jarrett.

No. 646, Rowland, Mount Albert—B. Paisley, C. Oldham, A. C. Ashforth, G. Aldham, G. E. Snyder, W. Shillinglaw, C. D. Harrison, H. B. Lockie, O. S. Dike, R. F. Stewart, L. Mainprize, K. Lees, M. D. Crone, J. F. Cupples, C. R. Moorhead, L. D. Moorhead, E. C. Nutt, W. S. Blizzard, J. A. Crone.

No. 647, Todmorden, Toronto—O. Booth, J. D. Gurr, J. G. Hallam, H. Daines.

No. 648, Spruce Falls, Kapuskasing—R. S. Walsh, M. Hougén, A. Downie, L. Kussner.

No. 649, Temple, Oshawa—B. J. Stredwick, J. A. Barron, A. S. Clark, G. Martin, R. Wallis, J. Jackson, A. G. Barron, J. F. Carey.

No. 650, Fidelity, Toledo—K. Baker.

No. 651, Dentonia, Toronto—G. F. Martin, W. H. Robinson, H. E. F. Bray, L. L. McLeod, H. Walker, T. J. Trotter, G. W. Swayze, H. S. Bray, D. H. Robertson.

No. 652, Memorial, Toronto—W. Hunter, H. L. Martyn, L. Logie, L. Smith, S. R. Herd, R. B. Douglas.

No. 653, Scarboro, Scarborough—W. White, D. Kaye, J. Robson, J. A. Clayton, B. T. Goff, J. W. Carnaghan, L. S. Beak, W. J. Anderson, D. J. MacDonald, F. H. Laycoe, K. D. Buchanan, H. Atkinson.

654, Ancient Landmarks, Hamilton—T. W. McGuffin, A. D. Muir.

No. 655, Kingsway, Etobicoke—A. Plowright, J. Woodburn, E. Flath, J. H. Jackson.

No. 657, Corinthian, Kirkland Lake—M. C. Hettrick.

No. 658, Sudbury, Sudbury—D. J. Marshall, E. T. Moore, J. R. Horne.

No. 659, Equity, Orillia—J. S. Brown, A. Lyness, P. E. Bagley, T. J. Purvis.

No. 661, St. Andrew's, St. Catharines—A. McKinnon, F. Maitland.

No. 662, Terrace Bay, Terrace Bay—S. Lundberg, K. Weppler.

No. 663, Brant, Burlington—H. A. Lillicrop, R. D. Dean, B. S. Parker, C. Bowles.

No. 664, Sunnylea, Etobicoke—C. Alderson, R. W. Plumley, P. Richardson, E. Flath, H. Johnston, D. M. Gow, D. C. Murrie, W. C. Duerdoth, C. W. Hagyard, A. E. Foote, D. W. Lambie, J. D. Adam, A. Horne, R. A. Southorn, R. D. Quinton, H. F. Hunter, G. E. Tapp, G. H. Weston, G. D. Wynd, R. A. Hicks.

No. 665, Temple, Ottawa—M. D. Parke-Taylor, H.O. Polk, G. M. Hopper, C. E. Saunders, T. H. Birtch, L. W. Westwell, H. Reid, B. A. Wilson.

No. 666, Temple, Belleville—H. E. McConnell, C. E. Huffman, H. E. Birkenshaw, S. W. Smith, A. J. Clare, M. R. Davidson, W. B. Humphreys.

No. 667, Composite, Hamilton—F. G. Barker, A. W. Henry, E. W. Nancekivell, D. H. Felker, N. Stewart.

No. 668, Atikokan, Atikokan—W. R. Mazurkewich.

No. 669, Corinthian, Cornwall—R. E. Rutley.

No. 670, West Hill, Scarborough—G. L. Ellis, J. F. Hanna, A. S. Rosborough, W. Burke, W. T. Overand, J. Hallan, R. Slater, L. Ellis, J. G. Lang, A. H. Loveridge, J. Heath.

No. 671, Westmount, Hamilton—J. W. Henderson, J. A. Battenham, W. Simpson, J. J. Bolton, W. J. Curtis, S. E. Lavenbim, A. G. Fyfe, G. Stevens, D. V. Ferguson.

No. 673, Kempenfeldt, Barrie—J. Small, G. C. Ramshaw, F. Shannon, D. E. Magee, F. C. Armstrong, F. C. Green, E. J. Burton, D. F. Tuppling.

No. 674, South Gate, Port Credit—T. Henry, J. S. Hazard, A. A. Martin, A. W. Russell, L. C. Smith, J. M. Burgess, J. D. McCrea, J. A. Hickox, C. M. Lobban, S. H. Appleby.

No. 675, William James Dunlop, Peterborough—W. H. Mortlock, F. C. Millard, A. S. Walden.

No. 676, Kroy, Thornhill—N. B. Perrault, L. L. Cecil, A. D. Hamilton, W. A. DeLong, J. A. Irvine, H. L. Martyn, W. E. Sills, F. E. Malcolm, E. F. Bevis, H. G. Jackson, J. A. Snow, J. Reside.

No. 677, Coronation, Weston—A. Currie, R. Jolly, J. H. Copp, L. H. Sommerville, G. H. Moulton, H. V. Heely, A. L. Crocker, G. J. Murray.

No. 678, Mercer Wilson, Woodstock—G. Manship, W. L. Fester, G. Smuck, W. N. Weakley, H. M. Crockett, M. A. Stoodley.

No. 679, Centennial, Niagara Falls—A. H. Lowe, C. C. Martin, R. C. Wheeler, J. L. Greirson, F. Chess.

No. 681, Claude M. Kent, Oakville—W. H. Frost, J. A. Dunnett, V. Bell, H. G. McKillop, R. C. Anderson.

No. 682, Astra, Weston—L. E. Peach, C. N. Davison, G. S. Johnson, R. Cruise, E. Flath, W. P. Ford, E. Bremner, J. N. Boak, J. C. Wardlaw, V. Phillips.

No. 683, Wexford, Scarborough—W. G. Johnson, R. M. Dobbin, L. W. Stricker, H. L. Martyn, E. M. Duval, J. Watt, L. A. Furniss, W. R. Kean, S. Forsythe, L. S. Beak, R. D. Buchanan, G. T. Bell, R. D. Parsons, H. G. Attwood.

No. 684, Centennial, London—F. Armstrong, H. B. Rockey, C. J. Hill, B. B. Foster, J. A. Irvine, C. F. MacKewn, A. Barnett, H. Chantler, G. F. Kingsmill, R. Powell, J. E. Stackhouse, W. E. Nichols.

No. 685, Joseph A. Hearn, Port Credit—R. Smith, J. R. Flynn, M. A. van Wamelen, J. Stewart.

No. 686, Atomic, Deep River—F. A. D. Mulcahy, W. R. Leach, J. Muff.

No. 687, Meridian, Dundas—W. E. Bryons, P. A. Ruhland, E. G. Dixon, A. D. Hahnau.

No. 688, Wyndham, Guelph—E. J. Brown, A. A. Ogilvie, J. C. Watson, J. F. Heap, J. J. Spare, H. G. Zeigler, R. A. Tucker.

No. 689, Flower City, Brampton—D. Warren, H. J. Turner, A. Cotton, C. F. Kline, C. A. Mather, A. Kearns.

No. 690, Temple, Kitchener—A. K. Shirk, A. K. Hoffman, S. M. S. Berry, T. C. Boon, W. J. Searson, W. E. James.

No. 691, Friendship, Copper Cliff—P. E. Fairhall, H. Waller, A. H. Eckert, H. Butler, W. J. R. Harrison.

No. 692, T. H. Simpson, Stoney Creek—D. W. Carter, A. F. Bould, H. van der Meiden, E. Hendershott, W. T. Francis, M. D. Capel, W. J. Burke, F. E. Barton, D. J. H. Thompson.

No. 693, East Gate, Scarborough—W. Dunlop, E. K. Anderson, J. D. Alymar, D. B. Filsinger, N. C. Holder, T. S. Falconer, C. C. Teskey, G. McArthur, R. K. Muir.

No. 694, Baldoon, Wallaceburg—C. A. Carscallen, K. R. Colwell, G. C. Phair.

No. 695, Parkwood, Oshawa—J. H. Snyder, D. A. Fear, J. Jackson, N. E. Weakley, H. O. Flintoff.

No. 696, Harry L. Martyn, Toronto—L. Yeomans, F. Donnelly, J. Mitchell, H. L. Martyn, R. J. Woods, W. T. Overand, T. R. Davies, L. G. Towner, J. Barr.

No. 697, Grantham, St. Catharines—J. Powell, R. Whipple, M. Inkol, R. Robson, S. T. Costen, A. J. Harley, S. W. Bunston.

No. 698, Elliot Lake, Elliot Lake—J. Robinson, A. Coles, A. Coles, A. Rogers, W. J. R. Harrison.

No. 699, Bethel, Sudbury—R. A. Larson, J. C. Hallows, K. R. Hall, A. M. Grigor, J. W. McGill, J. R. Horne, L. L. W. Ashcroft.

No. 700, Corinthian, Kintore—B. B. Foster, J. A. McLeod.

No. 701, Ashlar, Tillsonburg—S. E. L. Woodman, G. P. Campbell, H. Armstrong, W. H. Smith.

No. 702, The Lodge of Fellowship, Richmond Hill—B. E. Stewart, F. Walker, L. Oliver, R. Wingrove, R. Scarlett, D. S. Bruce.

No. 703, The Lodge of The Pillars, Weston—W. Cook, C. Segal, I. Sax, W. Sills, D. List, S. Tenenbaum, H. Bocknek, E. Barbour.

No. 704, Aurum, Timmins—H. J. Maxwell, F. R. M. Tiffin.

No. 705, Universe, Markham—J. E. Stephens, C. L. Bradshaw, W. A. T. Ovens, A. C. Lawrance, R. J. A. Young.

No. 706, The David T. Campbell, Whitby—R. B. Collins, R. W. Agg, L. H. Inkpen.

No. 707, Eastern, Cornwall—J. Vincent.

No. 708, Oakridge, Byron—M. W. Sanderson, A. W. Dixon.

No. 709, Lakehead, Port Arthur—W. J. Campbell.

No. 710, Unity, Brampton—N. Wilkinson, A. C. Walder, M. B. Williamson, G. McGee.

No. 711, Progress, Toronto—R. G. Barber, L. Sheeran, L. G. Pineo, W. A. Hagan, K. C. Heller, G. A. Dorkin, A. F. Williams, F. Train, A. Olley, H. W. Lyons, J. Meek, R. Elsie, T. J. Sayers.

No. 712, Trafalgar, Oakville—T. A. J. West, B. C. Bryant, C. D. Donald.

No. 713, Bridgewood, Woodbridge—K. Benson, E. Wilson, J. M. Boak, C. J. S. Nixon, W. E. Jones, J. Southgate, S. D. Kaiser.

No. 714, Battlefield, Stoney Creek—J. Brownlie, E. Heal E. Graham, C. Malchow, H. Prowse.

No. 715, Islington, Etobicoke—W. Soutar, D. R. Swan, K. G. Williamson, W. Scott, W. M. McKenzie, J. E. Moore, E. Denman, C. Rich, R. R. Hodson, D. Lambie, S. Shapton.

No. 716, Ionic, London—C. G. Smuck, R. R. Gordon, M. Ragin, W. L. Davies, C. W. W. Tanner.

No. 717, Willowdale, Richmond Hill—R. Furness, J. Smith, A. H. L. Barker, G. H. Loxton, G. Cowison, E. J. Snow, R. W. Scarlett.

No. 718, Twin Lakes, Orillia—G. Newcombe, E. Bacon, F. K. Doolittle.

No. 719, Otisippi, Sarnia—J. B. White, H. C. Keam, W. Townner.

No. 720, Confederation, Scarborough—J. T. E. Wakeford, D. G. Bee, L. H. Stover.

No. 721, Bytown, Ottawa—C. C. Lillico, H. O. Polk, K. Campbell, E. J. J. Jackson, R. C. Wilson, K. Nesbitt, J. Johnson, T. Taylor, A. M. Hudson.

No. 722, Concord, Hespeler—J. Sutton, G. Campbell, E. J. Brown, W. S. McVittie, A. E. Harrington, J. E. Westbrook.

GUESTS

M.W. Bro. J. N. Allan presented to the Grand Master and introduced to Grand Lodge the following distinguished guests:

ALABAMA

M.W. Bro. John Brannon, Grand Master.

CALIFORNIA

Bro. Merritt Rowland.

CONNECTICUT

M.W. Bro. Carl O. Carlson, Grand Master.

DELAWARE

M.W. Bro. John J. McClearnen, Grand Master.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

M.W. Bro. H. Kenneth Kingsbury, Grand Master.

INDIANA

M.W. Bro. Dwight L. Smith, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary, Past President and now Secretary of The Conference of Grand Secretaries of North America.

IOWA

M.W. Bro. Harold Phelps, Grand Master.

MANITOBA

M.W. Bro. J. L. Rankin, Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. Thomas C. Jackson, Past Grand Master (Hon.) and Grand Secretary.

MARYLAND

M.W. Bro. William B. Stansbury, Jr., Grand Master.

MASSACHUSETTS

M.W. Bro. Herbert H. Jaynes, Grand Master.

R.W. Bro. Robert P. Beach, Grand Secretary.

MICHIGAN

M.W. Bro. Charles Solmo, Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. Glenn L. Alt, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

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R.W. Bro. William W. Widstrand, Deputy Grand Master.

NEBRASKA

M.W. Bro. John H. Brown, Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. Norris W. Lallman, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

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M.W. Bro. Carl A. Buswell, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

NEW JERSEY

M.W. Bro. Edward Rainey, Grand Master.
R.W. Bro. Vernon Cornine, Junior Grand Warden.

NEW YORK

R.W. Bro. Lloyd S. Cochran, Deputy Grand Master.
R.W. Bro. Wendell K. Walker, Grand Secretary.

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R.W. Bro. Maurice E. Walsh, Grand Master.
M.W. Bro. Charles C. Ricker, Past Grand Master.

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R.W. Bro. Harold F. Sipprell, Grand Secretary.

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M.W. Bro. Louis C. Holzapfel, Grand Master.
R.W. Bro. Don Thomson, Deputy Grand Master.
R.W. Bro. Robert D. Sager, Grand Marshal.

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R.W. Bro. Hiram P. Ball, Grand Master.

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M.W. Bro. G. Egerton Brown, Grand Master.
R.W. Bro. W. Gordon Parker, Grand Secretary.

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M.W. Bro. S. Everett Wilkins, Grand Master.
R.W. Bro. Herbert L. Hall, Grand Marshal.

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M.W. Bro. Herbert L. Middleton, Jr., Grand Master.
M.W. Bro. John I. Smith, Past Grand Master.

SOUTH DAKOTA

M.W. Bro. John S. Rowe, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary, and Secretary of Relief Association of U.S. and Canada.

TENNESSEE

M.W. Bro. W. Phelan Douglas, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

VIRGINIA

M.W. Bro. William T. Watkins, Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. Archer B. Gay, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

WEST VIRGINIA

M.W. Bro. Henry C. Kaufman, Past Grand Master.

WISCONSIN

M.W. Bro. Paul W. Grossenbach, Past Grand Master (Hon.) and Grand Secretary Emeritus.

ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE

Ill. Bro. Donald L. Witter, Sovereign Grand Commander, Canada.

Ill. Bro. W. G. Welby, Grand Secretary-General.

Ill. Bro. George A. Newbury, Sovereign Grand Commander, Northern Jurisdiction of United States.

GRAND CHAPTER — ROYAL ARCH MASONS

M.Ex. Comp. Fred W. D. Welham, Grand First Principal.
R.Ex. Comp. Frederick C. Conley, Grand Scribe E.

The Grand Master extended a very cordial welcome to our distinguished guests, after which, led by the Grand Director of Ceremonies, Grand Honours were given.

PAST GRAND MASTERS

The Deputy Grand Master presented our Past Grand Masters, all of whom were present, namely M.W. Bros. W. L. Wright, H. L. Martyn, J. A. Irvine, J. N. Allan, D. J. Gunn, and E. G. Dixon (Hon).

WELCOME BY TORONTO LODGES

R.W. Bro. A. H. L. Barker, D.D.G.M., presented the other District Deputy Grand Masters of the Toronto Districts, each of whom, in turn, presented the Masters of the lodges in his district. On their behalf Wor. Bro. Ray Furness, the Master of Willowdale Lodge, No. 717, extended to the Grand Master and to the members of Grand Lodge a most cordial welcome. The Grand Master made suitable reply.

MINUTES

The Grand Secretary proceeded to read the Minutes of the last meeting held in Toronto on July 16th, 1969, when it was moved by the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, and resolved: That inasmuch as the Minutes of the last Annual Communication held in Toronto have been printed and distributed to all constituent lodges the same be now taken as read and confirmed.

RULES OF ORDER

The Rules of Order as prescribed by the Constitution governing the conduct of the meeting were read by the Grand Secretary.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

It was moved by the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine, and unanimously carried, that the Order of Business of this Annual Communication be changed at the discretion of the Grand Master.

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

To the Officers and Members of the Most Worshipful the Grand Lodge A.F. and A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

My Brethren:

I am privileged, this morning, to welcome you cordially to the 115th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario. This welcome is extended to all the distinguished representatives of our sister jurisdictions in the United States of America, Canada, and our own Grand Lodge. We hope that you will enjoy your stay here and carry home with you happy memories of your attendance at Grand Lodge.

During the past ten years the attendance at the Annual Communication has varied from a low of 3170 to a high of 3565. It is, therefore, a problem to find suitable accommodation to care for such a large number of delegates. We are indebted to the Board of Education of the Borough of Scarborough for their kindness in permitting our use of Cedarbrae Collegiate Institute and thus solving this problem. I realize that there are certain restrictions, as well as inconveniences there, however, in the sizes of rooms available for District Meetings. We ask for your indulgence in this regard. We thank Bro. Howard R. Campbell and his staff for their co-operation and assistance in reducing our problems to a minimum.

As our Annual Communication must be held in Toronto to provide continuity of adequate accommodation, we are grateful to all the members of the Metropolitan Districts' Past Masters' Association for the detailed preparation for this meeting. It is a mammoth task which they do very well, and I thank them most sincerely, on your behalf, for their tremendous efforts.

NECROLOGY

THOMAS HAMILTON SIMPSON

M.W. Bro. Thomas Hamilton Simpson, the Dean of our Past Grand Masters and one of the illustrious Rulers

of the Craft hailing from the Ambitious City, passed peacefully away on November 4th, 1969, at his home in Hamilton. He had not been in good health for some time

M.W. Bro. Simpson was active in his church, sports and the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce. His Masonic activities were as follows:

Initiated into Acacia Lodge, No. 61, Hamilton. in 1912.

W.M. of Acacia Lodge in 1926.

D.D.G.M. of Hamilton District "B" in 1933.

Member of the Hamilton Scottish Rite Bodies and received his Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, in 1950.

Member of the Hamilton Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.

Member of the Royal Order of Scotland.

Elected to the Board of General Purposes, 1936 to 1945.

Chairman of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals, 1937 to 1945.

Elected Deputy Grand Master, 1945, and Grand Master, 1947.

At the time of his death he was Chairman of the important Committee on Constitution and Laws.

Members of the Grand East, Board of General Purposes and many other members attended the funeral which was held on November 7th in The Church of the Ascension. We extend our sincere sympathy to his family.

RUSSELL WILLIAMS TRELEAVEN

M.W. Bro. Russell Williams Treleaven was a most active member of the Ryerson United Church in Hamilton, where he served as leader of the Young Men's Bible Class for 34 years. He served on the Committee of Forty which worked out the basis of union that brought into being the United Church of Canada. In civic life his interests took him into the Optimist Club of which he was its first President, the Board of Education for Hamilton, of which he became Chairman, and the Ontario Motor League. Professionally, he was an outstanding lawyer, was ap-

pointed a King's Counsel (now Q.C.) in 1936, and in 1946 he was appointed a Justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario, a position which he filled with distinction until his retirement in 1961.

He was an ardent Mason and his record is as follows:
Initiated into Acacia Lodge, No. 61, Hamilton, in 1919.

Wor. Master of Acacia Lodge in 1937.

D.D.G.M. of Hamilton District "B" in 1942.

Elected to the Board of General Purposes in 1945 to 1951.

Appointed an Honorary Member of the Board in 1951.

Chairman of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals, 1945 to 1951.

Member of the Hamilton Scottish Rite Bodies and received his Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, in 1960.

Member of the Royal Order of Scotland in 1960.

Elected Deputy Grand Master in 1959 and Grand Master in 1961.

He was one of the founders and first President of The Masonic Foundation of Ontario and took a very keen and active interest in its work. He retired as President and Director at his own request.

At the time of his death he was the Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence.

M.W. Bro. Treleaven filled the office of Grand Master with distinction. He had a gentle persuasive manner which enabled him to spread his ideas of Craft teachings and conduct quietly over a wide area. He passed away peacefully on January 14th, 1970. Funeral services were held in Ryerson United Church, Hamilton, on January 17, 1970. Grand Lodge was represented by M.W. Bros. B. B. Foster, J. A. Irvine, D. J. Gunn, and E. G. Dixon, in company with many members of the Board of General Purposes and of the Craft. We extend our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Treleaven and the family.

CHARLES HERBERT CUNNINGHAM

V.W. Bro. Charles Herbert Cunningham, one of the veterans of our Grand Lodge and a very dedicated Mason, passed away in Burlington on September 12th, 1969, the day following his return from presiding over the Annual Session of the Supreme Council of the A. & A.S. Rite for the Dominion of Canada, in Halifax. He was Master of Temple Lodge, No. 324, Hamilton, in 1926 and was appointed Grand Senior Deacon in 1954. He became a member of Hamilton Chapter, R.A.M. in 1928 and was its First Principal in 1940. He was the Provincial Grand Master of the Royal Order of Scotland in Ontario at the time of his death. His service to Masonry in all its branches won for him the admiration and respect of all who knew him. We express our sympathy to Mrs. Cunningham and the family.

GEORGE THOMAS EVANS

Rt. W. Bro. George Thomas Evans passed to the Grand Lodge Above on November 22, 1969. R.W. Bro. Evans was a brilliant architect by profession and one who had true ideas of practical building. He designed a number of churches, schools, office buildings and factories in Hamilton and surrounding area. He was a former member of the City-Planning Board and Building By-laws Committee. He was the designer of our Grand Lodge Memorial Building. He was a working member of the Craft and a small list of his accomplishments follow:

Initiated into Acacia Lodge, No. 61, 1920.

W.M. of Acacia Lodge in 1929.

Affiliated with Brant Lodge, No. 663, 1949.

Grand Director of Ceremonies, 1947.

Appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 1955-57-59.

Elected to the Board of General Purposes in 1961.

Appointed an Honorary Member of the Board in 1963.

Appointed Chairman of the Grand Lodge Advisory Committee on Lodge Buildings in 1958 by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn.

He was the happy choice of M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn to head a new committee which would offer advice on lodge buildings. He continued to hold this appointment for twelve years. During this time he estimated that he had examined and passed on plans for over 160 lodge buildings, about 35% of the 420 buildings owned by our 635 lodges. His ability to detect problems and suggest workable solutions to them placed individual lodges and this Grand Lodge forever in his debt. He was completely dedicated to the service of Masonry and directed his efforts to the utility and convenience of the lodge building and the comfort and safety of the occupants. Grand Lodge was represented at his funeral by your Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, M.W. Bros. H. L. Martyn, R. W. Treleaven, J. N. Allan, D. J. Gunn, E. G. Dixon, together with many members of the Board of General Purposes and individual Masons. We extend to Mrs. Evans and the family our sincere sympathy.

RICHARD COULTON BERKINSHAW

On Monday, May 4th, 1970, R.W. Bro. Richard Coulton Berkinshaw passed away in Toronto. His was a full and rewarding life. Born in Toronto, he moved with the family to England where he attended elementary school in London. Later, returning to Toronto, he attended Upper Canada College. He entered the University of Toronto from which he graduated in 1913 with his B.A. From there he entered Osgoode Hall to study for a career in law. In 1916 he was called to the Bar of Ontario. After a short period in law he joined the Canadian Army and went overseas in 1916 with the commission of Captain. He later became a Major with the 12th Battalion, Canadian Engineers. On returning home he entered law practice but later joined the law department of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. of Canada of which he became, eventually, President and General Manager. In 1959 he was appointed Chairman of the Board, a position he held until his retirement in 1961. In World War II he rendered valuable service to the Canadian Government in various assignments including the presidency of the Polymer Corporation Ltd.

His Masonic record is as follows:

Initiated into Georgina Lodge, No. 343, in 1929.

W.M. of Georgina Lodge in 1938.

Appointed Grand Senior Deacon in 1941.

Member of the three bodies of the A. & A.S. Rite.

Appointed an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, in 1942. Active member of Supreme Council, 33° in 1948.

Elected Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the A. & A.S.R. for the Dominion of Canada, 1961-1964.

Appointed to the Board of General Purposes of Grand Lodge in 1945.

Elected to the Board of General Purposes in 1947.

Appointed to the Chairmanship of the Committee on Audit and Finance in 1947, a post which he held continuously to the time of his death.

Appointed an Honorary Member of the Board of General Purposes in 1961.

His funeral was held from St. Paul's Anglican Church Toronto, on May 27th, 1970, and was attended by the Grand East, and several members of the Board, together with many members of the Fraternity. Our Grand Lodge has suffered a great loss. I express to his family our deepest sympathy.

HARRY HERBERT CLARK

Last January 24th, while attending a meeting in the Grand Lodge offices, I was shocked to learn of the sudden passing of R.W. Bro. Harry Herbert Clark, the D.D.G.M. of Brant District in 1969-70. R.W. Bro. Clark was initiated into Brant Lodge, No. 45, Brantford, in 1945. He served as W.M. in 1955 and was elected D.D.G.M. of Brant District in 1969. He was carrying out his duties as D.D.G.M. with distinction when he was suddenly removed from among us. I appointed R.W. Bro. Garnet W. Brown, the Immediate Past D.D.G.M., to complete the year and write the report for Brant District. R.W. Bro. Allan E. Broadley assisted by making the visits of inspec-

tion during February. I express our sympathy to the family of R.W. Bro. Clark and recommend that he be granted, posthumously, the rank of a Past District Deputy Grand Master.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The Grand Master invited the Grand Chaplain, R.W. Bro. Rev. Marshall S. Jess, to the dais. Under the Grand Chaplain's direction the following Memorial Service was held:

GRAND CHAPLAIN:

"Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord? or who shall stand in His holy place? He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; who hath not lifted up his soul to vanity, nor sworn deceitfully. He shall receive the blessing from the Lord; and righteousness from the God of his salvation." (Psalm 24:3-5)

"Lord, make me to know mine end, and the measure of my days, what it is; that I may know how frail I am." (Psalm 39:4)

"The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore." (Psalm 121:8)

(A brief period of silence will be observed.)

PSALM 90:1-6, 10, 12, 14-17 (Reading responsively.)

Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations.

Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God.

Thou turnest man to destruction; and sayest, Return, ye children of men.

For a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday when it is past, and as a watch in the night.

Thou carriest them away as with a flood; they are as asleep; in the morning they are like grass which groweth up.

In the morning it flourisheth, and groweth up; in the evening it is cut down, and withereth.

The days of our years are threescore years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is their strength labour and sorrow; for it is soon cut off, and we fly away.

So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.

O satisfy us early with thy mercy; that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

Make us glad according to the days wherein thou hast afflicted us, and the years wherein we have seen evil.

Let thy work appear unto thy servants, and thy glory unto their children.

And let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us; and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.

HYMN: Guide Us O Thou Great Jehovah

LET US PRAY:

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: we thank Thee for the world in which Thou hast placed us, for the universe whose vastness is revealed in the blue depths of space, whose immensities are lit by shining stars beyond the strength of mind to follow.

We thank Thee for every sacrament of beauty; for the sweetness of flowers, the solemnity of the stars, the sound of streams and swelling seas; for far-stretching lands and mighty mountains which rest and satisfy the soul, the purity of dawn which calls to holy dedication, the

peace of evening which speaks of everlasting rest. May we not fear to make this world for a little while our home, since it is Thy creation and we ourselves are part of it. Help us humbly to learn its laws and trust its mighty powers. We thank Thee for the world within, deeper than we dare to look, and higher than we care to climb.

We thank Thee for that world brighter and better than all, opened to us in the assurance of Thy Holy Word; for Thy universe of love and purity with which we seek to enrich our earthly lives and to increase brotherly love, relief and truth among mankind.

Our Father, in whose hands are life and death, and by whose grace and power we are sustained in times of trial and adversity and by whose mercy we are spared to love and serve our fellow men in the hours of joy and sorrow; look mercifully upon us in this moment of remembrance. We remember with thanksgiving our brethren, who have "fought the good fight" and having finished their earthly course, have been called to the Grand Lodge Above.

Grant to their families the strength of Thy Spirit in their loss and be to them "a hiding place from the wind, a covert from the tempest, rivers of water in a dry place and the shelter of a great rock in a weary land." We beseech Thee to make us the instruments of Thy hand and guide us that we may continue to promote the Work of our Craft which our brethren once laboured to support.

We commit our lives unto Thy care and keeping and being rooted in Thy love, may we so pass the waves of this troublous world that we may be fit to abide in that world beyond within whose borders there are no tears and whose ways are peace.

Now may blessing, and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving, and honour and power and might be unto our God forever and ever.

The Lord bless thee, and keep thee; the Lord make His face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee; the Lord lift up His countenance upon thee, and give thee peace. Amen.

RECOGNITION OF 100 YEARS OF ACTIVE EXISTENCE

During the year I was pleased to grant permission to wear gold braid, etc., under Sec. 262 of the Constitution, to the following lodges in recognition of having completed 100 years of active existence:

- (1) Evergreen Lodge, No. 209, Lanark, as of April 20, 1969.
- (2) Frederick Lodge, No. 217, Delhi, as of July 11, 1969.
- (3) Bernard Lodge, No. 225, Listowel, as of March 16, 1970.
- (4) Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 228, Odessa, as of April 14, 1970.
- (5) Lodge of Fidelity, No. 231, Ottawa, as of May 11, 1970.
- (6) Cameron Lodge, No. 232, Dutton, as of June 8, 1970.
- (7) Beaver Lodge, No. 234, Thornbury, as of August 18, 1970.
- (8) Manitoba Lodge, No. 236, Cookstown, as of July 25, 1970.
- (9) Havelock Lodge, No. 238, Watford, as of October 11, 1970.
- (10) Tweed Lodge, No. 239, Tweed, as of November 4, 1970.
- (11) Guelph Lodge, No. 258, Guelph, as of October 25, 1971.
- (12) Patterson Lodge, No. 265, Thornhill, as of January 25, 1972.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES APPOINTED

On the recommendation of the respective Grand Masters I was pleased to appoint the following Grand Representatives near other Grand Lodges.

District of Columbia — Sidney M. Goldstein.
French National Grand Lodge — Jacques Berrier.

Kansas — Richard D. Overton.
 New Hampshire — Paul R. Walker.
 New Zealand — Leonard J. Webb.
 Philippines — Elpidio Laiz.
 Texas — Thomas W. Bobo.

Israel — Felix Klug (App'ted 1969, by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn).

Southern Africa — José Martin Gobetz (app'ted by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn).

The Grand Masters of other Grand Lodges have cordially accepted my recommendations and have appointed the following Grand Representatives near our Grand Lodge.

Colorado — Ross C. Fuller.
 District of Columbia — Douglas W. Grierson.
 England — W. L. Wright.
 Germany, United Grand Lodges — N. R. Richards.
 Ireland — J. A. Irvine.
 Massachusetts — Donald J. Gunn.
 New Mexico — Robert L. Elsie.
 New Zealand — Duncan S. Copus.
 Prince Edward Island — Walter H. Mortlock.
 Quebec — P. Stewart MacKenzie.
 Saskatchewan — J. T. Minaker.
 Scotland — H. L. Martyn.
 South Dakota — Harry Jowett.
 Tasmania — James Meek.
 Utah — Howard O. Polk.
 Victoria — Willard M. Gordon.

Chile — J. A. Foster (Recommended, 1969, by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn).

APPOINTMENTS

During the year I appointed V.W. Bro. Eric C. Horwood to assume the Chairmanship, pro tem. of the

Advisory Committee on Lodge Buildings, left vacant by the death of R.W. Bro. George T. Evans, and V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth to act as Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance. V.W. Bro. Ashforth had co-operated with the former Chairman, our late R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, in the work of this Committee. These Committees are in good hands once again.

DONATIONS

Following the custom of former Grand Masters in making donations to organizations which do much good service in their respective fields, I authorized the following donations from the General Fund of Grand Lodge:

Salvation Army (Ontario Division)	\$ 500.00
Canadian National Institute for the Blind	500.00
Boy Scouts (Ontario Division)	400.00
Girl Guides (Ontario Division)	400.00
Canadian Cancer Society (Ontario Division)	500.00
Ontario Society for Crippled Children	500.00
Ontario Society for Retarded Children	500.00
Canadian Heart Fund (Ontario Division)	500.00
Canadian Arthritic Fund (Ontario Division)	400.00
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I now ask for your approval of these donations.

BEQUEST TO OUR MEMORIAL FUND

The Memorial Fund of our Grand Lodge has benefitted from the thoughtful and very generous gift of our late Bro. Elmer J. Sirrs, a former member of our Rose Lodge, No. 500, Windsor, who left the residue of his estate, amounting to \$24,591.91, to the Fund. It has been placed in the capital account where the income therefrom will bring relief and assistance to many of our members and their dependents.

PAST RANK

- (1) Wor. Bro. Norman G. Browne, was unable to serve the prescribed twelve months as Master of Moira

Lodge, No. 11, Belleville, because he was transferred by his employers to Kitchener. He arranged with the Immediate and other Past Masters to substitute for him during the last three months of his term. I recommend that he be granted the rank of Past Master.

- (2) Owing to a change in the date of installation in King Solomon's Lodge, No. 22, Toronto, Wor. Bro. E. W. Brewer served less than the prescribed twelve months as Master. I recommend that he be given past rank.
- (3) Algonquin Lodge, No. 434, Emsdale, suffered the loss by death of Wor. Bro. Edward Cleveland Cook, on February 24, 1970, seven months after he was installed as Wor. Master. The lodge requests and I recommend that the rank of Past Master be conferred posthumously.
- (4) Wor. Bro. Howard V. Haist, served as Wor. Master of Phoenix Lodge, No. 535, Fonthill, just over one month short of the prescribed twelve, because of a change in the date of installation. He had presided at every meeting during his shortened term. I recommend that he be granted the rank of Past Master.
- (5) On March 3, 1970, Lyn Lodge, No. 416, lost its Wor. Master, Wor. Bro. Clifford Steed, by death. He was installed on 24 June, 1969, and until his untimely passing, he had served well as Master. At the request of the lodge, I recommend that the rank of Past Master be conferred posthumously.

SPECIAL OCCASIONS

On December 18, 1969, St. George's Lodge, No. 41, and Prince Charles Lodge, No. 153, B.C.R., met in joint Emergent Communication in St. George's Hall, Kelowna, B.C., to honour Bro. John A. Walker on the 80th anniversary of his becoming a member of our Shuniah Lodge, No. 287, Port Arthur, Ont.

Bro. Walker was initiated on December 16th, 1889. He celebrated his 105th birthday on February 27th, 1970.

Bro. Walker was escorted into the lodge by a group composed of a Past Grand Master of Alberta, all the Past District Deputy Grand Masters present, and R.W. Bro. L. E. Stephens, D.D.G.M. of District No. 9, B.C.R., and was welcomed by W. Bro. D. E. A. Haworth of St. George's Lodge and W. Bro. P. G. Jones-Evans of Prince Charles Lodge. He was presented with a wall plaque, the gift of the members of the two lodges in Kelowna and an engraved silver tray from our Grand Lodge.

Letters of congratulations were read from the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon and myself. Also telegrams were read from the Governor General, the Rt. Hon. Roland Michener, Premier W. A. C. Bennett of British Columbia and from several lodges throughout Canada.

I extend, on behalf of the Officers and members of this Grand Lodge, our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Worshipful Masters, Officers and Members of St. George's Lodge and Prince Charles Lodge for their thoughtfulness in holding this meeting in Kelowna for Bro. Walker.

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The members of the Rotary Club of Oshawa joined with other Rotarians from neighbouring clubs last September 8, 1969, in paying tribute to Col. R. S. McLaughlin, a Past Grand Steward of this Grand Lodge, on the occasion of his 98th birthday. V.W. Bro. McLaughlin is in his 75th year of membership in the Craft and he has received every medal and button available to him which is issued by Grand Lodge. His record is a most enviable one.

SPECIAL EVENTS

175th ANNIVERSARY ANCIENT ST. JOHN'S, No. 3

On October 2nd, 1969, I was privileged to enjoy attendance at the celebration of 175 years of continuous Masonic activity by Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 3,

Kingston. They held a most successful banquet and celebration. This is the second lodge which has reached this milestone and it has been my honour to speak at both. The Grand Director of Ceremonies, V.W. Bro. G. Carlton Phair, accompanied me on this trip.

125th ANNIVERSARY ST. JOHN'S, No. 35

On May 22nd, 1970, I returned "home" to Cayuga to speak at a dinner which was a combined celebration of 125 years of the existence of St. John's Lodge, No. 35, and a District Reception by Brant District. It was a well-organized event and those in charge are to be congratulated. I was initiated into St. John's Lodge in 1927, and it was a great pleasure to return and meet old classmates, friends and members of my mother lodge.

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

On April 13, 1970, it was my pleasure to participate in the recognition of the Dean of our Past Grand Masters, M.W. Bro. Archbishop William L. Wright, as the "Citizen of the Year" for Sault Ste. Marie. This recognition was sponsored by Lodge No. 1784 of B'nai B'rith. Many fitting tributes were paid to M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright by several leading citizens of the area as to his prowess and dedication in the many facets of his interest in spiritual, community, provincial and national life. We congratulate B'nai B'rith on their annual tribute to community-minded men and to M.W. Bro. Wright on his selection this year.

DONALD J. GUNN FUND

It is satisfying to record the successful efforts of the Masons of Toronto District No. 1 in furnishing four rooms in the Toronto Hospital for Sick Children as recreation rooms. A cheque for \$5,000.00 was also presented as a further fund to add to or maintain these rooms as time requires. All this was done in the name of M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn, Past Grand Master, in recognition of his contribution to Masonry in our jurisdiction. The committee in charge of this project was headed by R.W. Bro. Ed. Dyer. We extend to M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn, on being so recog-

nized, and to the Masons of Toronto District No. 1, our congratulations on the practical nature of the project completed. Nothing can be found to compare with the smile on the face of a young person and, from all reports, the recreational centre is one that will bring many smiles to many faces.

RIDGETOWN RECEPTION

On September 24th, 1969, the Officers and members of my lodge, Howard Lodge, No. 391, held an enjoyable Reception for me in Ridgetown. They were joined by M.W. Bros. H. L. Martyn, R. W. Treleaven, J. A. Irvine, D. J. Gunn, E. G. Dixon, R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, the D.G.M., seventeen members of the Board of General Purposes, fourteen D.D.G.M.'s, all the Grand Lodge Officers, and many Masonic friends from outside of the Ridgetown area. It was a night to remember.

CONFERENCES OF GRAND MASTERS AND GRAND SECRETARIES OF NORTH AMERICA

The Deputy Grand Master, the Grand Secretary and I attended these Conferences from February 23 to 25, in Washington, D.C. The meetings are held annually to discuss problems of common interest to all jurisdictions. We hope each year to find some solutions for or formulate some methods of dealing with these problems if no immediate solution seems to be available. The keynote address this year in the Grand Masters' Conference was delivered by M.W. Bro. Robert P. Joyce, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Indiana and Vice-president of the Conference, and was entitled "Masonry in Action", a most appropriate and timely topic. These meetings serve to broaden the Masonic vision of those attending and to keep us all thinking along purely Masonic lines.

VISITATIONS TO OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS AND MASONIC BODIES

Many invitations have been received from other Grand Jurisdictions to attend their Annual Communications. It has been impossible to accept them all because of conflicting commitments. I have been warmly received,

royally entertained, and it is difficult to express my appreciation adequately. The following is a list of these visitations:

- (1) Supreme Council, A. & A.S. Rite of Canada, in Halifax, by M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary.
- (2) Grand Lodge of Iowa, on September 16, 1969, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (3) Grand Lodge of Illinois, on October 8, 1969, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (4) Grand Lodge of Ohio, on October 16, 1969, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (5) Grand Lodge of Maryland, on November 17, 1969, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (6) Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, on December 26, 1969, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (7) Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, on December 29, 1969, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (8) Grand Lodge of Virginia, on February 9, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (9) Grand Masters' and Grand Secretaries' Conferences, February 23, 1970, by the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (10) Grand Lodge of North Carolina, on April 20, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (11) Grand Lodge of South Carolina, on April 23, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (12) Grand Chapter, R.A.M., on April 28, 1970, by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn.
- (13) Grand Lodge of New Jersey, on April 28, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (14) Grand Lodge of New York, on May 5, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (15) Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, on May 15, 1970, by R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, Deputy Grand Master.
- (16) Grand Lodge of Indiana, on May 18, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

- (17) Grand Lodge of Michigan, on May 26, 1970, by R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, Deputy Grand Master.
- (18) Grand Lodge of Quebec, on June 4, 1970, by the Grand Master and Grand Secretary.
- (19) Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia, on June 5, 1970, by R.W. Bro. Rev. Marshall S. Jess, Grand Chaplain.

LODGE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS

Eleven lodges celebrated their 100 years of service in their respective communities this past year. I was fortunate in being able to be present at seven of them and the majority of these celebrations were held jointly with District Receptions. I am most appreciative of such consideration as it reduces the number of visits to a district and lessens the work load of your Grand Master.

Zeredatha Lodge, No. 220, Uxbridge, on October 20, 1969.

Frederick Lodge, No. 217, Delhi, on October 24, 1969.

Harris Lodge, No. 216, Orangeville, on October 25, 1969.

Lake Lodge, No. 215, Ameliasburg, on October 25, 1969.

Marmora Lodge, No. 222, Marmora, on October 27, 1969.

Credit Lodge, No. 219, Georgetown, on November 1, 1969.

Stevenson Lodge, No. 218, Toronto, on November 10, 1969.

Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 228, Odessa, on April 17, 1970.

Huron Lodge, No. 224, Hensall, on May 2, 1970.

Mountain Lodge, No. 221, Thorold, on May 15, 1970.

Evergreen Lodge, No. 209, Lanark, on May 30, 1970.

In addition the following three older lodges held celebrations. I was present at two.

Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 3, Kingston, 175th Anniversary, on October 3, 1969.

Union Lodge, No. 7, Grimsby, 170th Anniversary, on December 17, 1969.

St. John's Lodge, No. 35, Cayuga, 125th Anniversary, on May 22, 1970.

LODGE PREMISES DEDICATED

The construction of new homes is always an adventure for the builders. Rising prices have caused many to take a second look before actually building, to be sure that their ability to finance a new structure compares favourably with the proposed cost. This year three new lodge buildings have been dedicated.

- (a) Credit Lodge, No. 219, Georgetown, on November 1, 1969, by the Grand Master.
- (b) Madawaska Lodge, No. 196, Arnprior, on May 9, 1970, by the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey.
- (c) Martintown Lodge, No. 596, Martintown, on May 29, 1970, by the Grand Master.

These new structures are a great credit to the lodges as a whole, and particularly so to the brethren who planned, erected and financed the new homes.

LODGES INSTITUTED

We are always very glad to have new lodges added to our list. They bring much needed enthusiasm and, we hope, will encourage many larger lodges to sponsor others. The following were instituted during the year:

- (a) Bytown Lodge, U.D., Ottawa, on October 11, 1969, by R.W. Bro. W. R. Rowsome, D.D.G.M., Ottawa District.
- (b) Concord Lodge, U.D., Hespeler, on October 20, 1969, by R.W. Bro. W. E. C. Wilson, D.D.G.M., Wellington District.

VOTING AT GRAND LODGE

Over the years the Grand Lodge Officers have been offered many suggestions for the improvement of the crowded and exceedingly uncomfortable conditions under which delegates waited to cast their ballots at Grand Lodge. I appointed M.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine, Past Grand Master, to head a committee of his choice to receive and hear submissions from interested individuals and groups. R.W. Bros. J. J. Talman and A. Lyle McConnell were appointed to the committee. Their recommendation is embodied in the notice of motion to change the Constitution to begin voting for Grand Lodge Officers at 5.00 p.m. and so permit delegates in Districts which hold short meetings and other delegates to vote early and clear the voting area. This arrangement would reduce the crowded conditions at a later hour. We are indebted to M.W. Bro. Irvine and his committee for this work on our behalf.

PROVINCIAL ASSESSMENT

As the new provincial assessment has progressed, letters have started coming to us from lodges which own their own buildings, indicating their real concern for the tremendous increase in the assessed value. Lodge buildings have always been assessed at a lower valuation with reference to other buildings because they were used for a lesser number of days per month than other types of buildings. The raise in assessment meant a real increase in taxes relative to other buildings. We are hopeful that there may be some formula worked out so that the small lodge will not be taxed out of its home. I can assure all lodges that Grand Lodge is deeply concerned and has made representations to the Minister on their behalf.

WHITE PAPER

At the beginning of the new year, Masonic bodies in Canada were faced with a distinct threat to their financial well-being by certain provisions in the White Paper presented in Parliament. Income from investments was to be taxed at the same rate as the corporation tax. The Masonic bodies of Canada are co-operating by the formation of a strong committee, under the Chairmanship of M.W. Bro. G. Egerton Brown, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of

Quebec, which will continue to look after our common interests. They have engaged legal counsel to assist them and we shall hopefully await the final disposition of this serious matter. We extend our sincere appreciation to M.W. Bro. Brown and the Committee for their willingness to accept this arduous task on behalf of the Masons of Canada.

PROPER CHANNELS OR PROTOCOL

I have recently learned that a few of our brethren and even Lodge Secretaries have been writing directly to the Grand Secretaries and lodges of other Grand Jurisdictions without first clearing the business through our own Grand Secretary. This is an embarrassing situation and one that I hope will be discontinued. In the interest of keeping everything in proper order, I would remind all Masons of Section 61 of the Constitution. This enables Grand Lodge to have a complete account of every item of Grand Lodge business on record in the central office, and will expedite any decisions which I may be called upon to make.

GRAND MASTER'S BANQUET

Our traditional Grand Master's Banquet will be held this year on July 15th, 1970, at the usual time. Accommodations are always limited but I hope that all who wish to come may be able to do so. Ill. Bro. George A. Newbury, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Jurisdiction of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of the United States of America will be the speaker. I am sure that we shall all look forward to this with anticipation. I thank R.W. Bro. E. J. Langley most sincerely for accepting the responsibility of handling the tickets, arrangements for the Banquet, and the entertainment.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP ON THE BOARD

The Honorary Members of the Board of General Purposes are appointed in recognition of their particular contributions to the Craft and, by their appointment, we are enabled to keep their special talents available for the future. After consultation with the Past Grand Masters, I recommend the appointment of R.W. Bro. Thomas L. Wilson to Honorary Membership on the Board.

APPRECIATION

With deep humility, I admit my inability to fulfil all the obligations that, as your Grand Master, I feel I should have done. I believe, however, that my predecessors have felt the same way at times. Many members of Grand Lodge have been most willing to assist in emergencies. I am most appreciative of their help and of the presence of the Grand Wardens, other Grand Lodge officers and Members of the Board of General Purposes at important meetings, who went to the trouble of attending these meetings, in addition to their individual contributions to the Craft. I feel I must single out the following for my sincere thanks and request your understanding if I miss anyone:

M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, our Grand Secretary, was the first to alert many of us to the dangers to our Fraternity inherent in the White Paper. If we are successful, the Craft will owe to him a great debt of gratitude. In addition, he continues to carry a workload which is ever-increasing because of the changing society in which we live. I am personally indebted to M.W. Bro. Dixon for keeping me up-to-date on all Craft activities in the jurisdiction and for arranging the details of all my travels to Sister Grand Jurisdictions. For all his kindnesses I extend to him my sincere thanks.

M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Custodian of the Work, carries on the task, with his usual enthusiasm and success, of instructing the new D.D.G.M.s', presiding over Lodges of Instruction, and directing the several committees of which he is the Chairman.

M.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine was Chairman of the Special Committee on Voting at Grand Lodge and we all hope that the solution his Committee has proposed will be successful.

M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn has assisted, most materially, by his ever-ready and useful counsel. He also accepted the Chairmanship of a Special Committee to revise the Manual for Masonic Students and Instructors, and of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence.

R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, our Deputy Grand Master, represented the Grand Lodge at the Grand Lodges of New Hampshire and Michigan, presided at the dedication of the new Temple at Arnprior, and attended well to the general duties of his office.

The Past Grand Masters gave encouragement and counsel on every occasion when either or both of these became necessary.

Finally, everyone in the Grand Secretary's Office willingly co-operated and helped in every way, making my task much lighter than it otherwise would have been. I am deeply indebted to them all.

CONCLUSION

As we close the Masonic year of 1969-70, let us take a discerning look at the world around us, for we are all affected by our environment. Pollution is a word on every lip and is being discussed on every level of communication. Most people apply the term to garbage and exhaust gases from aircraft, automobiles and to water pollution, forgetting the insidious pollution of our language, the stage and the screen. We have all been brought up to believe in a free country where dissent is legal as long as dissenters obey the law of the land. In Canada, we have seen this dissent change to dissent outside the law, accompanied by violence and destruction. Our Craft is an association of builders, not destroyers. As individuals, each must think seriously of his contribution to the maintenance of a free society under the law. We do not have to shout from the house tops but we should quietly lend our full and active support to all that is good in our society.

In recent months, we have been exposed to numerous reviews of the decade just past, and the inevitable predictions as to the future. The Craft made progress in the 60's although we did lose in numerical strength. I am convinced that our appeal to the youth of today is based on our public image. We must keep trying to present ourselves in the very best light possible. Our members must continue to be leaders in religious and civic life. We must narrow the gap between what we profess and what we do.

We must show the world that the word expediency has never been in our vocabulary.

Finally, and most important, we must prove to the world that our lives are directed by the Great Architect of the Universe and that our Fraternity stands for the belief in the Brotherhood of Man as well as the Fatherhood of God.

May the Great Architect bless and keep you as the future unfolds before you.

Sincerely and fraternally,

BRUCE B. FOSTER,
Grand Master.

APPENDIX "A"

The following new Temples have been dedicated:

1. Credit Lodge, No. 219, Georgetown, on November 1, 1969, by the Grand Master.
2. Madawaska Lodge, No. 196, Arnprior, on May 9, 1970, by the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey.
3. Martintown Lodge, No. 596, Martintown, on May 29, 1970, by the Grand Master.

LODGES INSTITUTED

- (a) Bytown Lodge, U.D., Ottawa, on October 11, 1969, by R.W. Bro. W. R. Rowsome, D.D.G.M., Ottawa District.
- (b) Concord Lodge, U.D., Hespeler, on October 20, 1969, by R.W. Bro. W. E. C. Wilson, D.D.G.M., Wellington District.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

At the conclusion of the Address it was moved by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn, seconded by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, and carried: That a committee, composed of

all the Past Grand Masters present, consider and report to Grand Lodge on the Grand Master's Address. The motion was put by the Deputy Grand Master.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine, and on motion of M.W. Bro. Irvine, seconded by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, it was received and adopted.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Brethren:

The members of this Committee, first of all, unanimously express the hope that the Grand Master's Address will be read, as custom requires, in every lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction, at a meeting in September or October of this year, when it is expected that a large number of our brethren will be in attendance.

We join with the Grand Master in regretting the passing of so many outstanding members of our Craft, including two of our most esteemed Past Grand Masters. While we mourn their passing, we must be thankful for the many outstanding contributions they have made, not only to the Craft, but for the good of mankind.

We concur unanimously in the many appointments made by our Grand Master, each of which shows the ability of this outstanding Leader of our Craft to handle the affairs of our Grand Lodge with devotion and zeal. It is apparent that much deliberation has preceded the action of each appointment.

We most heartily approve the donations to various worthy charities, authorized by our Grand Master, and all recommendations contained in his Address.

Brethren, we recommend that you read carefully and analyze the final paragraph of the Address. Here, in a concise manner, our Grand Master gives his own philosophy on Freemasonry and sets a pattern we would all be well to try to emulate. Here you find, and become better acquainted with, the admirable inner thoughts of the illustrious Head of our Craft. We are indeed fortunate to experience such wise counsel.

Among the many "special occasions" listed in the Address, we must again make mention of the Dean of our members, Brother John A. Walker celebrated eighty (80) years of membership in the Craft on December 18, 1969, at the age of 105. May we extend our sincere appreciation to St. George's Lodge, No. 41, and Prince Charles Lodge, No. 153, both of B. C. R., for the many

courtesies extended to Brother Walker on this and other occasions. This truly demonstrates the universality of our spirit of Brotherly Love and devotion to the high ideals of Freemasonry.

Your Committee approves everything the Grand Master has reported in his Address and congratulates him, on your behalf, on a most successful year in which he has shown what a capable and expert administrator he is. We extend to him, also on your behalf, best wishes for health, happiness and prosperity in the years that lie ahead.

We, I am sure, echo the sentiments of all our members when we congratulate our Grand Master on his devotion to duty and for the manner in which he has discharged his responsibilities. The many visitations he has made within our Grand Jurisdiction and beyond make us justly proud to be associated with this great Ruler of our Craft. Wherever he has visited he has made many friends for this Grand Lodge and for himself. When he was unable to visit an Annual Communication himself, he appointed a competent Mason to represent our Grand Lodge.

With all respect and humility this report is submitted for the approval of Grand Lodge by Most Worshipful Brothers W. L. Wright, H. L. Martyn, J. N. Allan, D. J. Gunn, and E. G. Dixon.

J. A. IRVINE,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND LAWS

This Report was presented by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. Martyn, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Committee on Constitution and Laws begs leave to report as follows:

PART I:

R.W. Bro. J. J. Talman has given notice of motion to amend Section 23 of the Book of Constitution as follows:

"THAT Section 23 of the Constitution be amended by deleting '5.30 p.m.' and substituting therefor '5 p.m.'".

There is no constitutional objection to this Notice of Motion by R. Wor. Bro. Talman.

PART II:

The Committee considered a request submitted by the D.D.G.M. of the Georgian District on behalf of Corinthian Lodge, No. 96 of Barrie. This request asked that Minerva Lodge, No. 304 of Stroud; Manitoba Lodge, No. 236 of Cookstown; Nitetis Lodge, No. 444, Creemore, the four Barrie Lodges and Seven Star Lodge, No. 285, Alliston be given concurrent jurisdiction over the Base Borden area. A letter endorsing this request was also included in the submissions from Nitetis Lodge, Creemore.

Base Borden is in the jurisdiction of Seven Star Lodge of Alliston as defined by Section 186 of the Book of Constitution and since we have no submission from that Lodge indicating concurrence in any arrangement for concurrent jurisdiction, the Committee recommends that this request must be refused at this time.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

HARRY L. MARTYN,
Chairman.

DISPOSAL OF NOTICE OF MOTION

In accordance with notice duly given by R.W. Bro. J. J. Talman, he moved, seconded by the Deputy Grand Master, that Section 23 of the Constitution be amended as follows:

By deleting "5.30 p.m." and by substituting therefor "5 p.m."

The amendment was adopted unanimously.

PRESENTATION OF COMMISSION TO M.W. BRO. J. A. IRVINE

M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright, in well chosen words presented to M.W. Bro. John A. Irvine his Commission appointing him Grand Representative of The Grand Lodge of Ireland near our Grand Lodge with the timely admonition to "Look well to the North".

RECEPTION OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

As the Grand Secretary called the roll of Grand Representatives of other Grand Lodges those who were present stood up and were welcomed by the Grand Master. Grand Honours were then given under the direction of the Grand Director of Ceremonies.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren,

I have examined the statement of resources of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario as at April 30, 1970 and statements of receipts and disbursements of the General Fund and the combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Fund for the year then ended. My examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of the accounting records of your Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary and other supporting evidence as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

The securities of the General, Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds as set out in the respective schedules accompanying the Grand Treasurer's Report are held and certified to under date of May 1, 1970 by the Canada Permanent Trust Company.

In my opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position on a cash basis of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario as at April 30, 1970 and the receipts and disbursements for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year with the exception of the change in valuation of investments from par value to cost, a change in valuation in which I concur.

Yours fraternally,
A. W. PARISH, F.C.A.

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The report of the Grand Treasurer for the financial year ended April 30, 1970, is submitted for your information and approval.

Certain changes in format have been made from that of previous years. The usual Statements of Receipts and Disbursements for the General Fund and for the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds are given as usual. However, in the Summary of Resources we have shown Investments at Cost rather than at par value as heretofore and have given in brackets the aggregate Market Value of our Securities according to the best information and advice available. Schedules of investments held at the end of the year at full par value are also given.

In his 1969 report the Auditor made the qualification that the statements did not present our financial position fairly to the extent that our securities stated at par value exceeded their market value. The changes above referred to should keep us from undue complacency. We expect to hold our bonds to maturity and do not contemplate incurring a capital loss, but the vagaries of the money market have suggested the adoption of more realistic accounting practices. The market valuation of our securities as of April 30, 1970, was over twenty per cent below their par value. We venture to hope that this disparity will be continually reduced in the future.

Our General Fund income from fees etc. is nominally down from the previous year and our disbursements have been moderately increased. We are pleased to find, however, that we have an excess of receipts over disbursements and that our surplus exceeds the budget estimate to a satisfactory extent.

Appropriations from the General Fund for Benevolent Grants have been larger, and Charitable Donations from the General Fund are somewhat higher than in the previous year. The requirements for benevolent grants, which had been increasing in some previous years, abated again but were close to the budget estimates. A generous bequest was received in the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Fund from the Elmer J. Sirrs Estate and this has been added to capital. It will provide additional income for benevolent grants for future years.

Some misgivings were felt when the Text of the Federal Government's White Paper seemed to forecast crippling taxation of our investment income. Masonic Bodies throughout Canada united to secure leading counsel and make representations, if necessary, to secure our proper classification in keeping with the programmes and objectives of Masonry. It now seems likely that, for the immediate future, fraternal orders will not be in jeopardy but a Committee, under the Chairmanship of M.W. Bro. Egerton Brown, the Grand Master of Quebec, is giving the situation continuous attention. A brief has been drafted by legal counsel for presentation to the authorities should Government policy tend to change to our disadvantage.

Grand Lodge has sustained a serious loss in the death of R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, an honorary member and Vice-Chairman of the Board of General Purposes, and for nearly twenty-five years the Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance. His outstanding skill in the field of finance and his mastery of detail in Grand Lodge affairs were generously made available to our Grand Lodge throughout his years of service. His life and devotion will receive recognition in many areas and in many ways but can never be too highly appraised. Our contact with our late Right Worshipful Brother has been a valued experience. It is good to know that his place has been taken by V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth for many years a member of the Committee, a leading financier and a generous and dedicated Mason.

Once again, we must acknowledge the constant assistance and advice of the Grand Secretary, the thorough

and efficient service of the members of the Grand Secretary's staff, and the wisdom of the Grand Lodge Auditor without all of which this report would be impossible.

Following are the summaries, statements and schedules already referred to.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

M. CLEEVE HOOPER,
Grand Treasurer.

GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

SUMMARY OF RESOURCES

As At April 30, 1970 Compared with Previous Year

Investments at Cost	1970	1969
General Fund (Market value 1970 \$828,808.75—1969 \$811,873.75) \$	1,018,076.51	\$ 964,081.51
Memorial Fund (Market value 1970 \$470,512.50—1969 \$468,368.75)	587,184.46	564,184.46
Semi-Centennial Fund (Market Value 1970 \$8,519.23— 1969 \$8,555.26)	10,596.60	10,711.92
Total Investments at Cost	<u>\$ 1,615,857.57</u>	<u>\$ 1,538,977.89</u>
Cash on Hand and in Bank:		
General Fund		
Cash on hand	900.00	900.00
Cash in bank	9,337.23	27,071.60
Bank Deposit Receipt	25,000.00	30,000.00
	<u>35,237.23</u>	<u>57,971.60</u>
Memorial Fund		
Cash in Bank:		
—Capital Account	341.39	1,226.07
—Income Account	2,414.04	4,604.06
Semi-Centennial Fund		
Cash in Bank:		
—Capital Account	100.00	100.00
Total Cash on Hand and in Bank	<u>38,092.66</u>	<u>63,901.73</u>
Balance — All Resources of		
Grand Lodge	<u>\$ 1,653,950.23</u>	<u>\$ 1,602,879.62</u>

GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GENERAL FUND

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For the Year Ended April 30, 1970

RECEIPTS

	1970	1969
Dues, fees, etc.	\$ 171,421.00	\$ 175,069.21
Interest on investments ..	51,106.67	51,566.64
Interest on Short-term Investments	822.05	551.43
Refunds:		
Sales Tax Masonic Education	—	64.06
Representatives to other Grand Lodges	3.00	34.05
Grand Lodge meeting expense ..	94.20	143.10
Bus tickets sold	267.00	266.50
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Investments matured or sold	223,713.92	227,694.99
	5,000.00	119,510.00
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 228,713.92	\$ 347,204.99

DISBURSEMENTS

Disbursements per schedule	\$ 192,088.73	\$ 183,254.07
Accrued Interest on Investments Purchased	364.56	3,400.00
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	192,453.29	186,654.07
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Investments purchased	58,995.00	151,693.75
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TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	251,448.29	338,347.82
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TOTAL (DISBURSEMENTS) RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ..	(22,734.37)	8,857.17

BALANCE—BEGINNING OF YEAR

Cash on Hand	900.00	900.00
Cash in Bank	27,071.60	23,214.43
Bank Deposit Receipt	30,000.00	25,000.00
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	57,971.60	49,114.43
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BALANCE—END OF YEAR ...	\$ 35,237.23	\$ 57,971.60

BALANCE—END OF YEAR

Cash on Hand	900.00	900.00
Cash in Bank	9,337.23	27,071.60
Bank Deposit Receipt	25,000.00	30,000.00
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	\$ 35,237.23	\$ 57,971.60

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO**

GENERAL FUND

SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS

For the Year Ended April 30, 1970

DUES, FEES, ETC.

	1970	1969
Fees, Registration of Initiations \$	12,350.00	\$ 12,885.00
Fees, Registration of Affiliations ..	679.00	733.00
Dues	131,898.72	133,741.11
Life member per capita	540.10	479.50
Certificates	193.00	262.00
Ceremonies	130.20	155.20
Dispensations	1,465.00	1,198.00
Commutation of dues	15,280.00	14,280.00
Constitutions	4,921.43	4,626.70
Sale of booklets	642.80	651.20
Sale of manuals	280.50	406.10
Musical rituals	69.00	28.50
Sale of histories	78.00	114.00
Lapel buttons	28.00	24.00
Installations and works	2,760.00	5,371.50
Bank exchange and tubes	105.25	113.40
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	\$ 171,421.00	\$ 175,069.21

INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS

Government of Canada	5,137.50	3,337.50
Province of Ontario	12,695.00	12,956.63
Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario	10,475.00	10,475.00
City of Hamilton	1,875.00	1,875.00
Township of Sandwich East	80.00	80.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	7,230.00	8,921.89
City of Windsor	385.00	385.00
Governors of the University of Toronto	—	285.62
Masonic Holdings	13,229.17	13,250.00
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	51,106.67	51,566.64

Accrued interest on investments

purchased:—

Province of Ontario	—	1,591.78
Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario	—	1,808.22
Government of Canada	129.20	—
Canadian National Railways	235.36	—
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	364.56	3,400.00

NET INTEREST ON

INVESTMENTS	\$ 50,742.11	\$ 48,166.64
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**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO**

GENERAL FUND

SCHEDULE OF DISBURSEMENTS

For the Year Ended April 30, 1970

	1970	1969
Salaries	\$ 50,192.14	\$ 48,629.57
Office expenses	32,607.80	31,709.05
Trust Company fees	1,074.91	1,033.00
Insurance	3,677.50	3,496.37
Audit	1,500.00	1,500.00
Library—Honorarium	1,200.00	1,000.00
—Rental	2,000.00	2,000.00
—General expense	367.80	485.69
Grand Master's allowance	1,500.00	1,500.00
Grand Master's allowance re secretary ..	400.00	400.00
Deputy Grand Master's allowance	700.00	750.00
Allowance re Mrs. W. J. Attig	2,400.00	2,400.00
Travelling expenses—Grand Secretary ..	150.73	219.35
—Supervisor of Benevolence	185.60	381.79
Representatives to other Grand Lodges ..	4,311.78	3,364.02
Conference fees, etc.—Washington	1,300.36	1,250.52
Conference of Canadian Grand Lodges ..	—	6,000.00
Committee on Masonic Education	515.04	963.33
Special printing for resale	9,875.69	8,904.02
Grand Lodge Bulletin	5,343.74	5,133.88
Honorary presentation, medals and buttons	5,060.46	2,676.65
Review of fraternal correspondence	650.00	650.00
Printing of Fraternal Reviews	1,414.35	931.95
Grand Lodge meeting expenses	27,142.72	25,040.32
Advance re 1970 Grand Lodge meeting ..	390.20	350.70
Masonic Relief Association		
U.S.A. - Canada	451.98	456.07

Appropriation for Benevolent grants	30,000.00	26,000.00
Charitable donations	4,400.00	4,200.00
Miscellaneous	2,775.93	1,827.79
Testimonial to Retiring Grand Master ..	500.00	—
	<u>\$192,088.73</u>	<u>\$183,254.07</u>

GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GENERAL FUND

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES

For the Year Ended April 30, 1970

SALARIES

	1970	1969
Grand Secretary	\$ 15,000.00	15,000.00
Clerical Grand Secretary's office	24,305.01	22,765.00
Supervisor of Benevolence and Assistant to Grand Secretary	10,000.00	10,000.00
Ontario Hospital scheme contributions	462.00	462.00
Canada pension plan	425.13	402.57
	<u>\$ 50,192.14</u>	<u>\$ 48,629.57</u>

OFFICE EXPENSES

Rent	24,000.00	24,000.00
Printing, stationery and supplies	4,721.45	3,669.46
Express, telephone, telegraph and bank charges (Net)	1,047.84	1,111.51
Postage	2,171.29	2,062.07
Furniture and equipment	667.22	866.01
	<u>\$ 32,607.80</u>	<u>\$ 31,709.05</u>

GRAND LODGE MEETING

Printing of Preliminary Reports	2,228.52	2,046.24
Printing Proceedings	5,727.14	5,751.86
General expenses	19,187.06	17,242.22
	<u>\$ 27,142.72</u>	<u>\$ 25,040.32</u>

DONATIONS

Canadian Arthritic and Rheumatism Society	400.00	400.00
Canadian Cancer Society	500.00	500.00
Canadian Heart Fund	500.00	500.00
Canadian National Institute for the Blind	500.00	500.00
Ontario Boy Scouts Association	400.00	400.00
Ontario Girl Guides Association	400.00	400.00
Ontario Society for Crippled Children ..	500.00	500.00
Ontario Society for Retarded Children ..	500.00	500.00
Salvation Army	500.00	500.00
Cerebral Palsy Centre	100.00	—
Masonic Foundation Ontario	100.00	—
	<u>\$ 4,400.00</u>	<u>\$ 4,200.00</u>

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO****GENERAL FUND****INVESTMENT ACCOUNT**

	Par Value	Cost
SCHEDULE—MAY 1, 1969	\$ 983,000.00	\$ 964,081.51
INVESTMENTS MATURED DURING THE YEAR:		
Masonic Holdings Series "A"	\$ 5,000.00	5,000.00

INVESTMENTS PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR:

Government of Canada		
8% Bonds due July 1, 1978	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 45,000.00
Canadian National Railways		
5¾% due January 1, 1985	18,000.00	13,995.00
	<u>63,000.00</u>	<u>58,995.00</u>

**NET ADDITIONS DURING THE
YEAR**

	\$ 58,000.00	53,995.00
SCHEDULE—APRIL 30, 1970	<u>\$1,041,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,018,076.51</u>

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO****SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS APRIL 30, 1970**

	%	Due	Par Value
Government of Canada	8	1978	\$ 45,000.00
Government of Canada	3¾	1978	89,000.00
Canadian National Railways	5¾	1985	18,000.00

Province of Ontario	4	1972	5,000.00
Province of Ontario	4¼	1974	44,000.00
Province of Ontario	4½	1976	45,000.00
Province of Ontario	5½	1985	10,000.00
Province of Ontario	7	1988	115,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	4	1976	20,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	3½	1979	30,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	5¼	1984	50,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	6	1990	100,000.00
City of Hamilton	3¾	1971	12,000.00
City of Hamilton	3¾	1972	13,000.00
City of Hamilton	3¾	1973	13,000.00
City of Hamilton	3¾	1974	12,000.00
Township of Sandwich East	2	1985	4,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	3½	1971	12,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	3¼	1973	2,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	3¼	1974	3,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	3¾	1975	10,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	4½	1976	13,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5¼	1983	25,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5½	1984	40,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5¼	1985	25,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5¾	1985	15,000.00
City of Windsor	3½	1973	11,000.00
Masonic Holdings Series "A"	5	1978	220,000.00
Masonic Holdings Series "B"	5	1978	40,000.00
TOTAL PAR VALUE			\$1,041,000.00

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO**

COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For the Year Ended April 30, 1970

	RECEIPTS	
	1970	1969
CAPITAL FUND		
Investments sold during year	—	\$ 18,060.00
Semi-Centennial Fund Investments matured:		
District of North Vancouver		
(Part redemption)	\$ 115.32	112.77
Bequests and donations:		
Elmer J. Sirrs Estate	22,000.00	—
	<u>22,115.32</u>	<u>18,172.77</u>

INCOME FUND

Transfers from General Fund	30,000.00	26,000.00
Interest on Investments	29,840.76	29,447.79
Donations from Lodges, etc.	385.99	3,032.12
Interest from Trust Company	—	21.60
	<u>60,226.75</u>	<u>58,501.51</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 82,342.07	\$ 76,674.28

DISBURSEMENTS

CAPITAL FUND

Investments purchased during year	23,000.00	19,902.50
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INCOME FUND

Benevolent grants	64,020.00	67,860.00
Refunds and cancellations	1,746.31	1,455.00
	<u>62,273.69</u>	<u>66,405.00</u>
Accrued interest on investments purchased	143.08	512.63
	<u>62,416.77</u>	<u>66,917.63</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	<u>85,416.77</u>	<u>84,820.13</u>
EXCESS OF DISBURSEMENTS OVER RECEIPTS	<u>3,074.70</u>	<u>8,145.85</u>

BALANCE—BEGINNING OF YEAR

Cash in Bank

—Memorial Fund Account	5,830.13	13,975.98
—Semi-Centennial Fund Account	100.00	100.00
	<u>5,930.13</u>	<u>14,075.98</u>
BALANCE—END OF YEAR	\$ 2,855.43	\$ 5,930.13

BALANCE—END OF YEAR

Memorial Fund

—Capital	341.39	1,226.07
—Income	2,414.04	4,604.06
Semi-Centennial Fund	100.00	100.00
	<u>\$ 2,855.43</u>	<u>\$ 5,930.13</u>

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS
SCHEDULE OF INTEREST FROM INVESTMENTS**

For the Year Ended April 30, 1970

	1970	1969
Government of Canada	\$ 10,815.00	\$ 9,895.00
Province of Ontario	6,866.26	6,937.35
Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario	4,837.50	5,107.50
City of Hamilton	112.50	295.89
City of London	1,102.50	1,102.50
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto ..	5,735.00	5,735.00
City of Windsor	366.75	366.75
District of North Vancouver	5.25	7.80
	<hr/> 29,840.76	<hr/> 29,447.79
Accrued interest on investments purchased:		
Province of Ontario—		
5½% due October 15, 1985	—	512.63
Government of Canada—		
8% due October 1, 1974	143.08	—
	<hr/> \$ 29,697.68	<hr/> \$ 28,935.16

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS
INVESTMENT ACCOUNT
PART ONE—MEMORIAL FUND**

	Par Value	Cost
SCHEDULE—MAY 1, 1969	\$578,500.00	\$564,184.46
Investments Purchased During the Year:		
Government of Canada		
8% due October 1, 1974	\$ 23,000.00	23,000.00
SCHEDULE—APRIL 30, 1970	\$601,500.00	\$587,184.46

PART TWO—SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUND

SCHEDULE—MAY 1, 1969	\$ 10,711.92	\$ 10,711.92
Investments Matured During the Year:		
District of North Vancouver—		
2¼% 1970 (part)	115.32	115.32
SCHEDULE—APRIL 30, 1970	\$ 10,596.60	\$ 10,596.60

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO**

COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS APRIL 30, 1970

PART ONE—MEMORIAL FUND

	%	Due	Par Value
Government of Canada	8	1974	\$ 23,000.00
Government of Canada	3¾	1978	26,000.00
Government of Canada	5½	1980	100,000.00
Government of Canada	4½	1983	76,000.00
Province of Ontario	4	1972	22,000.00
Province of Ontario	4¼	1974	20,000.00
Province of Ontario	4½	1976	5,000.00
Province of Ontario	5¼	1982	4,500.00
Province of Ontario	5½	1985	85,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	2¾	1971	5,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	5	1977	49,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	3½	1979	30,000.00
Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario	6	1980	20,000.00
City of Hamilton	3¾	1974	3,000.00
City of London	5¼	1973	21,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	3½	1971	20,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5	1977	7,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5½	1982	15,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5¼	1983	3,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5½	1984	24,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5¼	1985	18,000.00
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto	5¾	1985	25,000.00
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			\$601,500.00

PART TWO—SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUND

District of North Vancouver ..	2¼	1970	117.93
City of Windsor ..	3½	1973	6,478.67
City of Windsor ..	3½	1974	4,000.00
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TOTAL PAR VALUE ..			\$ 10,596.60

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by the Grand Treasurer, the Report and the Auditor's Report were received and referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I present herewith my Annual Report for the year ended April 30, 1970, containing a Summary of Receipts from various sources placed in the General Fund; Details of Receipts in the General Fund and Ledger Balances as at April 30, 1970, a Summary of Receipts for the year; Details of the Returns of Lodges as at April 30, 1970, a Summary of the Receipts and Payments to the Grand Treasurer on account of the Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds; and a Statement of the Receipts and Disbursements on the Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds Revenue Account.

My thirty-fourth Annual Report will show a slight improvement over last year although we record a net loss in membership of 1856, fewer by 141 than the loss of 1997 last year, which was the highest annual loss we have suffered in over 35 years. This year we had 113 fewer initiations, partially offset by a gain of 33 in affiliations, 67 fewer suspensions, 43 fewer resignations and, I am pleased to report, 103 fewer deaths. The result, however, is far from encouraging because suspensions and resignations, which we can control, are far too many.

Although I hoped that Wor. Masters would read M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn's admonition under "Decline in Membership" (p. 53, 1969 Proceedings), it is quite obvious that far too many Masters, Wardens and Secretaries have made little, if any, attempt to carry into practice that which is so necessary for the welfare of the lodge. Some Masters organize all officers to make a personal call on all delinquent resident members. Non-resident members can be approached by a well-worded letter of inquiry and solicitation. This will apply equally to those members who resign for no real reason. Does the Master make any effort to stop the downward trend in his lodge or is he just

filling the chair in the East until the day when he will have a Past Master's Jewel given to him "as of right, having faithfully performed your duty as Wor. Master"?

May I urge all new D.D.G.M.'s to bring together all Masters, Wardens and Secretaries in his district as soon as possible and discuss with them ways and means to reverse the present trend. Let this be a year of action, not apathy, a year of investigation of every delinquent member and of every request for a demit. A conscientious and devoted Master can and will, I hope, give active leadership in all matters affecting the welfare of his lodge, not only when the lodge is in session but at all times. He can be insensible neither to the duties which devolve upon him as head of his members nor to his responsibility for the faithful discharge of the same. One lodge with 117 dues paying members reports arrears of dues amounting to \$986.00. Whose fault is this, you may well ask? How many lodges are in similar straitened circumstances and do nothing about it?

RECAPITULATION—DECEMBER 31st, 1969

Membership, December 31st, 1968	126,593	
Initiated	2,473	
Passed	2,291	
Raised	2,295	
Affiliated	765	
Reinstated	170	
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Deaths	2,785	
Resignations	1,245	
Suspensions	1,122	
Adjustments, re Membership checks	112	5,264
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Membership, December 31st, 1969		124,737
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Number of active warranted lodges		633
Lodges under dispensation June 30th, 1970		2
Total number of Lodges June 30th, 1970		635

Net Loss:

Membership as of December 31st, 1968	126,593
Membership as of December 31st, 1969	124,737

Net Loss	<u>1,856</u>
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As of Dec. 31st	Initi- ations	Affili- ations	Suspen- sions	Member- ship	Gain
1953	5205	1076	770	128352	2756
1954	4629	879	794	130177	1825
1955	4551	1096	780	131992	1815
1956	4542	926	809	133398	1406
1957	4360	1070	846	134624	1226
1958	4114	1011	864	135464	840
1959	3962	964	869	136266	802
1960	3842	904	981	136413	147
					Loss
1961	3620	763	1017	136091	322
1962	3361	763	1140	135192	899
1963	3253	720	1138	134245	947
1964	3098	888	1038	133394	851
1965	2971	781	1079	131965	1429
1966	2787	773	1101	130228	1737
1967	2742	679	1087	128590	1638
1968	2586	732	1189	126593	1997
1969	2473	765	1122	124737	1856

FIFTY-YEAR LAPEL BUTTONS

Last year I reported that 816 of our members had received our 50 Year Lapel Button, the year before 598. This year 1064 have completed fifty years of membership. May the trend be ever upwards. We congratulate them and extend our very best wishes to each and everyone of them.

SIXTY-YEAR LAPEL BUTTONS

We were very glad to add 76 members to those who have completed sixty years of membership and have received our Sixty-Year Button. They, too, have our congratulations and very best wishes.

OUR VETERAN PAST MASTERS

The 50 Year Past Master's Button was presented to 17 Past Masters and one Past Master qualified for his Sixty Year Past Master's Button. In congratulating them we express our gratitude for their service and devotion to the Craft.

SPECIAL MENTION

- (a) R.W. Bro. Edwin M. Clipsham of Golden Rule Lodge, No. 409, Gravenhurst, completed fifty years as a Past District Deputy Grand Master.
- (b) The following members completed seventy years as Mason:
 W. Bro. Sydney W. Smith—Ionic Lodge, No. 25, Toronto
 Bro. Henry Brownlee—Ontario Lodge, No. 26, Port Hope
 Bro. George Stronach—Rehoboam Lodge No. 65, Toronto
 Bro. Edward C. Edwards, The Spry Lodge, No. 406, Fenelon Falls
- (c) On November 27, 1969, Very Wor. Bro. Roderick S. McLaughlin, of Cedar Lodge, No. 270, completed seventy-five years of membership.
- (d) Our oldest member in years and in membership, Bro. John A. Walker of Shuniah Lodge, No. 287, now living in Kelowna, B.C., celebrated his 105th birthday on February 27, 1970 and on December 16, 1969, completed eighty years of membership in his Mother Lodge.

Read what our Grand Master has to say about these two grand old Masons.

With us today in Grand Lodge we have R.W. Bro. Dr. Everon Flath of Wellington Lodge, No. 635, who on June 17 celebrated his ninety-third birthday. He has completed 53 years as a Past District Deputy Grand Master.

To all of these outstanding Veterans of the Craft we extend our heartiest congratulations with our fervent prayer

that the Great Architect will continue to pour down upon each of them His richest blessings.

WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL

May I repeat that this medal is the only medal presently issued by Grand Lodge. It is awarded for very outstanding Masonic service to members who are not Past Masters, nor are ever likely to be, and could not be honored otherwise by Grand Lodge. Since the institution of this medal in 1945 only 87 members have been the honored recipients of what we quite fittingly designate the "Victoria Cross of Freemasonry" in our Grand Jurisdiction. Two of our distinguished members received the award this year. They are:

Bro. (Rev.) John A. Davies, King Solomon's Lodge,
No. 43, Woodstock.

Bro. Robert King, Nipissing Lodge, No. 420, North
Bay.

APPRECIATION

This has been a very strenuous year for all members of the staff in our Grand Lodge office. Each year their work and responsibilities increase without a word of complaint. R.W. Bro. George J. McQueen had another period of hospitalization but recovered well. The wonder grows for me that so few are able to do so much for so many. What a pleasure and help it is to me to have their fullest co-operation with the utmost loyalty and devotion. Theirs not to reason why; theirs but to do and do and do. To each and every one of them I am deeply grateful and I wish to thank them most sincerely.

**Details of Receipts of Grand Lodge on General
Account and Ledger Balances, Year
Ended April 30th, 1970.**

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
2	Niagara	Niagara	421.40	24.30	
3	Ancient St. John's	Kingston	434.15	10.50	
5	Sussex	Brockville	586.55	17.90	
6	Barton	Hamilton	285.70		19.30
7	Union	Grimsby	423.30	6.75	
9	Union	Napanee	296.70	17.90	
10	Norfolk	Simcoe	388.30	2.00	
11	Moir	Belleville	629.85	1.60	
14	True Britons'	Perth	269.90		
15	St. George's	St. Catharines ..	378.00	.60	
16	St. Andrew's	Toronto	351.00	3.00	
17	St. John's	Cobourg	378.40	10.00	
18	Prince Edward	Picton	415.85	.40	
20	St. John's	London	503.95	21.40	
21a	St. John's	Vankleek Hill ..	108.40		
22	King Solomon's	Toronto	347.15	4.00	
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill ..	437.90	6.45	
24	St. Francis	Smiths Falls	486.65	5.00	
25	Ionic	Toronto	225.20	8.00	
26	Ontario	Port Hope	300.40		.60
27	Strict Observance	Hamilton	456.50	16.70	
28	Mount Zion	Kemptville	173.20	1.65	
29	United	Brighton	256.40	11.10	
30	Composite	Whitby	283.40		
31	Jerusalem	Bowmanville	233.60	3.80	
32	Amity	Dunnville	387.90	7.00	
33	Maitland	Goderich	279.60	1.00	
34	Thistle	Amherstburg	196.70	2.40	
35	St. John's	Cayuga	180.20	7.00	
37	King Hiram	Ingersoll	215.65		
38	Trent	Trenton	309.40	8.75	
39	Mount Zion	Brooklin	178.10		
40	St. John's	Hamilton	476.55	31.60	
41	St. George's	Kingsville	269.60		.05
42	St. George's	London	325.55	.80	
43	King Solomon's	Woodstock	404.90		
44	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	286.90	2.20	
45	Brant	Brantford	385.40	1.00	
46	Wellington	Chatham	379.90		
47	Great Western	Windsor	639.90	7.55	
48	Madoc	Madoc	179.75	19.50	
50	Consecon	Consecon	177.30	12.00	
52	Dalhousie	Ottawa	533.70		.55
54	Vaughan	Maple	155.50	2.00	
55	Merrickville	Merrickville	147.20		.20

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
56	Victoria	Sarnia	371.60	1.70	
57	Harmony	Binbrook	120.50		
58	Doric	Ottawa	314.87	1.00	
61	Acacia	Hamilton	573.60	1.00	
62	St. Andrew's	Caledonia	220.20		
63	St. John's	Carleton Place ..	345.80	1.00	
64	Kilwinning	London	906.80	23.95	
65	Rehoboam	Toronto	301.25	6.20	
66	Durham	Newcastle	131.90	1.00	
68	St. John's	Ingersoll	183.25		
69	Stirling	Stirling	373.55	11.05	
72	Alma	Galt	362.80	1.00	
73	St. James	St. Marys	313.30		
74	St. James	South Augusta ..	162.40	1.00	
75	St. Johns	Toronto	278.75	8.10	
76	Oxford	Woodstock	454.70	.90	
77	Faithful Brethren ..	Lindsay	388.30	1.60	
78	King Hiram	Tillsonburg	294.80	1.00	
79	Simcoe	Bradford	295.30		.05
81	St. John's	Mount Brydges ..	96.30	4.70	
82	St. John's	Paris	236.10		3.65
83	Beaver	Strathroy	213.70		
84	Clinton	Clinton	261.80		
85	Rising Sun	Athens	124.20	9.90	
86	Wilson	Toronto	255.50	14.55	
87	Markham Union	Markham	291.15	24.10	
88	St. George's	Owen Sound	257.70		.10
90	Manito	Collingwood	287.10	.60	
91	Colborne	Colborne	185.80		
92	Cataraqui	Kingston	692.95	17.50	
93	Northern Light	Kincardine	273.20	.60	
94	St. Mark's	Port Stanley	230.90	11.25	
96	Corinthian	Barrie	516.90		29.00
97	Sharon	Queensville	246.80		
98	True Blue	Bolton	175.95	2.65	
99	Tuscan	Newmarket	271.00	2.95	
100	Valley	Dundas	421.60	8.40	
101	Corinthian	Peterborough	622.70	7.60	
103	Maple Leaf	St. Catharines ..	516.00	4.60	
104	St. John's	Norwich	238.10	2.00	
105	St. Mark's	Niagara Falls	436.55	.90	
106	Burford	Burford	173.00	1.00	
107	St. Paul's	Lambeth	271.25	11.90	
108	Blenheim	Princeton	135.40		2.40
109	Albion	Harrowsmith	171.65	1.50	
110	Central	Prescott	182.30		
113	Wilson	Waterford	181.90	11.10	
114	Hope	Port Hope	197.30	18.30	
115	Ivy	Beamsville	332.10	1.00	
116	Cassia	Thedford	127.60		
118	Union	Schomberg	141.55	1.00	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
119	Maple Leaf	Bath	141.65	1.15	
120	Warren	Fingal	108.80	1.00	
121	Doric	Brantford	448.15	9.75	
122	Renfrew	Renfrew	213.05	11.50	
123	Belleville	Belleville	547.65	25.25	
125	Cornwall	Cornwall	379.55		
126	Golden Rule	Campbellford	255.30	18.50	
127	Franck	Frankford	221.80	15.10	
128	Pembroke	Pembroke	391.40	.10	
129	Rising Sun	Aurora	279.50	5.60	
131	St. Lawrence	Southampton	97.00		
133	Lebanon Forest	Exeter	255.40	.65	
135	St. Clair	Milton	261.40	6.00	
136	Richardson	Stouffville	213.00	1.00	
137	Pythagoras	Meaford	210.95	1.20	
139	Lebanon	Oshawa	477.90	20.85	
140	Malahide	Aylmer	219.60	14.50	
141	Tudor	Mitchell	246.10		
142	Excelsior	Morrisburg	182.70		1.80
143	Friendly Brothers'	Iroquois	114.50	1.00	
144	Tecumseh	Stratford	408.50	.60	
145	J. B. Hall	Millbrook	162.30		
146	Prince of Wales	Newburgh	56.60	1.00	
147	Mississippi	Almonte	254.00	2.75	
148	Civil Service	Ottawa	332.20		2.00
149	Erie	Port Dover	258.20		
151	Grand River	Kitchener	381.00	12.30	
153	Burns'	Wyoming	214.25	13.95	
154	Irving	Lucan	117.30		
155	Peterborough	Peterborough	646.50	21.70	
156	York	Toronto	386.95	1.00	
157	Simpson	Newboro	113.65	2.25	
158	Alexandra	Oil Springs	104.20	11.50	
159	Goodwood	Richmond	137.10	2.00	
161	Percy	Warkworth	180.45	10.45	
162	Forest	Wroxeter	166.05	1.05	
164	Star in the East	Wellington	171.40	5.50	
165	Burlington	Burlington	630.10		.55
166	Wentworth	Stoney Creek	581.70	2.60	
168	Merritt	Welland	282.70	.40	
169	Macnab	Port Colborne	415.95		
170	Britannia	Seaforth	190.90		
171	Prince of Wales	Iona Station	98.10	5.25	
172	Ayr	Ayr	67.35	.15	
174	Walsingham	Port Rowan	173.75		
177	The Builders	Ottawa	385.45	18.50	
178	Plattsville	Plattsville	133.00		
180	Speed	Guelph	635.40	2.05	
181	Oriental	Port Burwell	119.40		
184	Old Light	Lucknow	240.25	.40	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
185	Enniskillen	York	111.60	1.00	
186	Plantagenet	Riceville	55.10		
190	Belmont	Belmont	167.00		4.80
192	Orillia	Orillia	580.95		.20
193	Scotland	Scotland	183.90		
194	Petrolia	Petrolia	197.15		
195	Tuscan	London	220.25	1.65	
196	Madawaska	Arnprior	237.95	10.55	
197	Saugeen	Walkerton	199.20		
200	St. Alban's	Mount Forest	164.60		
201	Leeds	Gananoque	252.10	.90	
203	Irvine	Elora	134.80		
205	New Dominion	New Hamburg	131.80		
207	Lancaster	Lancaster	137.80		.10
209	Evergreen	Lanark	97.15		.30
209a	St. John's	London	723.75	.25	
215	Lake	Ameliasburg	178.80		
216	Harris	Orangeville	273.65		1.10
217	Frederick	Delhi	175.90		1.35
218	Stevenson	Toronto	271.30	3.40	
219	Credit	Georgetown	368.95	13.30	
220	Zeredatha	Uxbridge	188.60	5.50	
221	Mountain	Thorold	228.20		
222	Marmora	Marmora	172.10	1.50	
223	Norwood	Norwood	92.05	3.10	
224	Huron	Hensall	149.00		.65
225	Bernard	Listowel	275.55		.45
228	Prince Arthur	Odessa	186.80	12.70	
229	Ionic	Brampton	425.75		1.75
230	Kerr	Barrie	514.90	27.95	
231	Fidelity	Ottawa	453.85	21.65	
232	Cameron	Dutton	188.20	7.00	
233	Doric	Parkhill	183.30	.90	
234	Beaver	Thornbury	162.30		
235	Aldworth	Paisley	127.60		
236	Manitoba	Cookstown	188.20	1.00	
237	Vienna	Vienna	126.40		
238	Havelock	Watford	131.90	1.00	
239	Tweed	Tweed	197.85	1.00	
242	Macoy	Mallorytown	103.60	10.45	
243	St. George	St. George	191.20	21.70	
245	Tecumseh	Thamesville	166.50	4.00	
247	Ashlar	Toronto	186.70	1.20	
249	Caledonian	Midland	313.20		
250	Thistle	Embro	157.00		
253	Minden	Kingston	515.95		
254	Clifton	Niagara Falls	264.25		.65
255	Sydenham	Dresden	220.30		
256	Farran-Ault	Ingleside	115.50		
257	Galt	Galt	422.85	5.85	

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				Dr.	Cr.
258	Guelph	Guelph	351.20	1.40	
259	Springfield	Springfield	118.90	1.00	
260	Washington	Petrolia	216.00	.30	
261	Oak Branch	Innerkip	146.05	11.50	
262	Harriston	Harriston	202.05		
263	Forest	Forest	199.35		.10
264	Chaudiere	Ottawa	403.55		
265	Patterson	Thornhill	378.70	.95	
266	Northern Light	Stayner	195.40	.60	
267	Parthenon	Chatham	412.80	2.00	
268	Verulam	Bobcaygeon	252.05		.20
269	Brougham Union	Claremont	135.00		
270	Cedar	Oshawa	479.90		.45
271	Wellington	Erin	183.30		1.65
272	Seymour	Ancaster	416.35	10.50	
274	Kent	Blenheim	369.25		
276	Teeswater	Teeswater	89.70		.05
277	Seymour	St. Catharines ..	333.70	11.25	
279	New Hope	Hespeler	156.10		.55
282	Lorne	Glencoe	147.65	2.55	
283	Eureka	Belleville	897.90		
284	St. John's	Brussels	100.55		1.20
285	Seven Star	Alliston	353.80	11.85	
286	Wingham	Wingham	264.00		.05
287	Shuniah	Thunder Bay	475.90	4.80	
289	Doric	Lobo	338.40	.75	
290	Leamington	Leamington	316.40	4.00	
291	Dufferin	West Flamboro ..	178.50	12.50	
292	Robertson	King	207.70	1.00	
294	Moore	Courtright	218.90	10.50	
295	Conestogo	Drayton	112.00	.40	
296	Temple	St. Catharines ..	441.40	3.20	
297	Preston	Preston	255.45	.75	
299	Victoria	Centreville	102.50	2.00	
300	Mount Olivet	Thorndale	167.05	1.85	
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	619.05	22.10	
303	Blyth	Blyth	99.80	.60	
304	Minerva	Stroud	214.60	1.00	
305	Humber	Weston	336.25	19.95	
306	Durham	Durham	212.65		
307	Arkona	Arkona	78.80	2.00	
309	Morning Star	Carlow	134.30		
311	Blackwood	Woodridge	236.10	2.20	
312	Pnyx	Wallaceburg	214.00		
313	Clementi	Lakefield	216.80		
314	Blair	Palmerston	266.85		1.75
315	Clifford	Clifford	93.00		
316	Doric	Toronto	220.60	1.00	
318	Wilmot	Baden	90.90	1.00	
319	Hiram	Hagersville	238.80	21.00	

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320	Chesterville	Chesterville	146.40		
321	Walker	Acton	283.30		
322	North Star	Owen Sound	207.50	1.85	
323	Alvinston	Alvinston	116.10	1.00	
324	Temple	Hamilton	358.20	1.00	
325	Orono	Orono	163.40	1.00	
326	Zetland	Toronto	321.50	5.00	
327	Hammond	Wardsville	101.60	14.50	
328	Ionic	Napier	76.60		
329	King Solomon	Jarvis	109.20		
330	Corinthian	London	294.50	11.70	
331	Fordwich	Fordwich	83.00	.60	
332	Stratford	Stratford	529.85	1.70	
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	204.70		4.90
334	Prince Arthur	Arthur	157.85	2.15	
336	Highgate	Highgate	143.80	1.00	
337	Myrtle	Port Robinson ..	127.90	3.40	
338	Dufferin	Wellandport	110.30	13.90	
339	Orient	Toronto	391.05	.45	
341	Bruce	Tiverton	99.60		
343	Georgina	Toronto	675.85	16.00	
344	Merrill	Dorchester	153.30	11.50	
345	Nilestown	Nilestown	401.40	1.00	
346	Occident	Toronto	460.40	2.50	
347	Mercer	Fergus	282.10		
348	Georgian	Penetanguishene	119.70	1.00	
352	Granite	Parry Sound	317.50	1.60	
354	Brock	Cannington	126.15		1.75
356	River Park	Streetsville	225.70	1.00	
357	Waterdown	Millgrove	463.75	3.00	
358	Delaware Valley ..	Delaware	204.80	12.00	
359	Vittoria	Vittoria	109.60		
360	Muskoka	Bracebridge	261.20	1.00	
361	Waverley	Guelph	371.55		
362	Maple Leaf	Tara	61.30		1.00
364	Dufferin	Melbourne	84.60	.60	
367	St. George	Toronto	315.00	2.00	
368	Salem	Brockville	524.65	.25	
369	Mimico	Etobicoke	369.95	11.45	
370	Harmony	Delta	94.00	1.80	
371	Prince of Wales ..	Ottawa	416.40		
372	Palmer	Fort Erie	504.65	1.00	
373	Cope-Stone	Welland	307.50		
374	Keene	Keene	146.20		
375	Lorne	Omeme	233.80	1.45	
376	Unity	Huntsville	264.60	10.80	
377	Lorne	Shelburne	134.40		
378	King Solomon's ..	London	499.25	6.65	
379	Middlesex	Bryanston	195.05		78.80
380	Union	London	576.00	10.50	
382	Doric	Hamilton	474.15	19.45	

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				Dr.	Cr.
383	Henderson	Winchester	181.80	8.00	
384	Alpha	Toronto	408.40	15.40	
385	Spry	Beeton	131.50		
386	McColl	West Lorne	125.80		
387	Lansdowne	Lansdowne	129.40		.70
388	Henderson	Ilderton	138.75	3.30	
389	Crystal Fountain	North Augusta	99.20	15.80	
390	Florence	Florence	101.50	1.15	
391	Howard	Ridgetown	253.90	1.00	
392	Huron	Camlachie	161.80	8.75	
393	Forest	Chesley	109.70		
394	King Solomon	Thamesford	140.10		
395	Parvaim	Comber	84.90	3.50	
396	Cedar	Warton	305.10	.95	
397	Leopold	Brigden	226.55	6.25	
398	Victoria	Kirkfield	118.30	.35	
399	Moffat	Harrietsville	116.70		
400	Oakville	Oakville	451.15	25.90	
401	Craig	Deseronto	189.80		
402	Central	Essex	362.80		
403	Windsor	Windsor	492.35	4.45	
404	Lorne	Tamworth	91.80	.35	
405	Mattawa	Mattawa	139.40	3.90	
406	Spry	Fenelon Falls	205.95	.95	
408	Murray	Beaverton	193.60		
409	Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	294.15		
410	Zeta	Toronto	356.30	1.50	
411	Rodney	Rodney	105.80	3.50	
412	Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	547.20	14.20	
413	Naphtali	Tilbury	118.80	1.00	
414	Pequonga	Kenora	309.95	10.35	
415	Fort William	Thunder Bay	401.20	17.95	
416	Lyn	Lyn	104.20		
417	Keewatin	Keewatin	96.80	.10	
418	Maxville	Maxville	112.00	1.20	
419	Liberty	Sarnia	710.40	44.65	
420	Nipissing	North Bay	407.50	3.20	
421	Scott	Grand Valley	160.80	2.90	
422	Star of the East	Bothwell	111.90	.05	
423	Strong	Sundridge	133.80	1.10	
424	Doric	Pickering	388.65	22.00	
425	St. Clair	Sombra	101.20	2.00	
426	Stanley	Toronto	338.20	10.50	
427	Nickel	Sudbury	610.10	24.60	
428	Fidelity	Port Perry	265.30	1.70	
429	Port Elgin	Port Elgin	144.20	3.40	
430	Acacia	Toronto	377.40	.45	
431	Moravian	Cargill	70.65		
432	Hanover	Hanover	161.45		
433	Bonnechere	Eganville	131.45	13.50	

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				Dr.	Cr.
434	Algonquin	Emsdale	196.45	.40	
435	Havelock	Havelock	178.30	5.40	
436	Burns	Hepworth	127.80	.10	
437	Tuscan	Sarnia	501.15	13.70	
438	Harmony	Thornhill	127.80	10.75	
439	Alexandria	Alexandria	96.80		
440	Arcadia	Minden	160.20		
441	Westport	Westport	106.30	.15	
442	Dyment	Thessalon	281.90	1.05	
443	Powassan	Powassan	195.40	2.00	
444	Nitetis	Creemore	171.40	1.00	
445	Lake of the Woods	Kenora	270.55		20.90
446	Granite	Fort Frances	347.95		
447	Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	108.20		1.05
448	Xenophon	Wheatley	240.20		
449	Dundalk	Dundalk	176.70	5.85	
450	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury	117.95		
451	Somerville	Kinmount	82.20		.55
452	Avonmore	Avonmore	128.50	2.00	
453	Royal	Thunder Bay	424.15		1.35
454	Corona	Burks Falls	114.65	2.20	
455	Doric	Little Current	179.15		
456	Elma	Monkton	89.85	1.60	
457	Century	Merlin	157.50	1.00	
458	Wales	Long Sault	112.65	1.00	
459	Cobden	Cobden	134.20	.60	
460	Rideau	Seeley's Bay	111.30		
461	Ionic	Rainy River	151.60	2.20	
462	Temiskaming	New Liskeard	244.55	.75	
463	North Entrance	Haliburton	194.75		
464	King Edward	Sunderland	174.40	2.00	
465	Carleton	Carp	134.20	2.00	
466	Coronation	Elmvale	193.40	13.40	
467	Tottenham	Tottenham	73.20		
468	Peel	Caledon East	238.60	1.00	
469	Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	530.25	3.50	
470	Victoria	Victoria Harbour	143.00		.10
471	King Edward VII	Chippawa	222.45	12.90	
472	Gore Bay	Gore Bay	228.40	1.00	
473	The Beaches	Scarborough	229.50	16.50	
474	Victoria	Toronto	319.50	12.20	
475	Dundurn	Hamilton	481.15	14.05	
476	Corinthian	North Gower	127.45	1.00	
477	Harding	Woodville	139.35		.30
478	Milverton	Milverton	114.00		.60
479	Russell	Russell	147.80	.40	
480	Williamsburg	Williamsburg	73.20	1.00	
481	Corinthian	Toronto	276.00	17.95	
482	Bancroft	Bancroft	421.20	2.35	
483	Granton	Granton	118.80		

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				Dr.	Cr.
484	Golden Star	Dryden	338.20		.25
485	Haileybury	Haileybury	99.00	1.20	
486	Silver	Cobalt	128.10	.10	
487	Penewobikong	Blind River	154.75		.75
488	King Edward	Harrow	171.00	3.25	
489	Osiris	Smiths Falls	259.80		
490	Hiram	Markdale	102.20		
491	Cardinal	Cardinal	111.90		
492	Karnak	Coldwater	162.15	2.50	
494	Riverdale	Toronto	309.50	14.00	
495	Electric	Hamilton	480.70	23.60	
496	University	Toronto	401.10	1.40	
497	St. Andrew's	Arden	130.40		
498	King George V	Coboconk	103.60	7.35	
499	Port Arthur	Thunder Bay	400.10		
500	Rose	Windsor	173.30		
501	Connaught	Mimico	661.10	18.60	
502	Coronation	Smithville	181.30		
503	Inwood	Inwood	99.55	1.00	
504	Otter	Lombardy	68.60	10.50	
505	Lynden	Lynden	229.10		
506	Porcupine	South Porcupine	198.90		6.35
507	Elk Lake	Elk Lake	126.00	2.50	
508	Ozias	Brantford	295.80		.05
509	Twin City	Kitchener	376.25	.35	
510	Parkdale	Etobicoke	211.60	11.50	
511	Connaught	Thunder Bay	320.40	1.40	
512	Malone	Sutton West	203.25		
513	Corinthian	Hamilton	441.00	1.00	
514	St. Alban's	Toronto	347.75	1.00	
515	Reba	Brantford	425.00		13.25
516	Enterprise	Beachburg	141.25		.55
517	Hazeldean	Hazeldean	142.00	27.00	
518	Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout	223.85	1.00	
519	Onondaga	Onondaga	174.60		
520	Coronati	Toronto	351.30	13.50	
521	Ontario	Windsor	364.10	1.00	
522	Mount Sinai	Toronto	857.70	.20	
523	Royal Arthur	Peterborough	320.15		.65
524	Mississauga	Port Credit	465.65	1.00	
525	Temple	Toronto	188.40	2.00	
526	Ionic	Ottawa	551.35	2.90	
527	Espanola	Espanola	245.00		
528	Golden Beaver	Timmins	291.35		.25
529	Mvra	Komoka	72.35		.20
530	Cochrane	Cochrane	239.30		
531	High Park	Thornhill	405.85	13.30	
532	Canada	Toronto	420.25	23.45	
533	Shamrock	Toronto	273.00	1.00	
534	Englehart	Englehart	202.00		.05

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				Dr.	Cr.
535	Phoenix	Fonthill	224.60	1.00	
536	Algonquin	Copper Cliff	408.30	21.50	
537	Ulster	Toronto	485.00	10.15	
538	Earl Kitchener	Port McNicholl	102.40		
539	Waterloo	Waterloo	395.40	23.58	
540	Abitibi	Iroquois Falls ..	161.60		
541	Tuscan	Toronto	254.75	4.25	
542	Metropolitan	Toronto	242.65	6.00	
543	Imperial	Toronto	581.85		5.00
544	Lincoln	Abingdon	120.70	1.55	
545	John Ross Robertson	Toronto	363.90	3.60	
546	Talbot	St. Thomas	485.40	11.15	
547	Victory	Toronto	277.35		6.65
548	General Mercer	Toronto	574.40	2.35	
549	Ionic	Hamilton	551.60	1.00	
550	Buchanan	Hamilton	377.20	9.40	
551	Tuscan	Hamilton	610.10	3.15	
552	Queen City	Toronto	661.10	3.00	
553	Oakwood	Toronto	437.80	3.00	
554	Border Cities	Windsor	362.55		
555	Wardrobe	Hamilton	434.50	9.75	
556	Nation	Spencerville	90.00	5.35	
557	Finch	Finch	143.75		
558	Sidnev Albert Luke	Ottawa	254.35	.10	
559	Palestine	Toronto	554.40	27.10	
560	St. Andrew's	Ottawa	569.30	.75	
561	Acacia	Ottawa	499.90	3.00	
562	Hamilton	Hamilton	291.40	8.75	
563	Victory	Chatham	384.80	10.50	
564	Ashlar	Ottawa	209.15		
565	Kilwinning	Toronto	552.50	1.00	
566	King Hiram	Toronto	367.55		2.00
567	St. Aidan's	Toronto	236.00	5.00	
568	Hullett	Londesboro	74.60		
569	Doric	Lakeside	128.30	11.05	
570	Dufferin	Toronto	271.78	4.42	
571	Antiquity	Toronto	277.20	1.60	
572	Mizpah	Toronto	313.80	5.60	
573	Adoniram	Niagara Falls	283.80	11.50	
574	Craig	Ailsa Craig	133.70	11.00	
575	Fidelity	Toronto	225.60	2.00	
576	Mimosa	Toronto	364.50	2.00	
577	St. Clair	Thornhill	263.60	8.10	
578	Queen's	Kingston	271.55		.30
579	Harmony	Windsor	222.85	7.90	
580	Acacia	London	349.80	12.50	
581	Harcourt	Toronto	128.70		
582	Sunnyside	Toronto	357.25	4.65	
583	Transportation	Toronto	423.05		
584	Kaministiquia	Thunder Bay	293.80	8.30	

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				Dr.	Cr.
585	Royal Edward	Kingston	400.15		
586	Remembrance	Thornhill	287.35	10.65	
587	Patricia	Thornhill	328.25	.20	
588	National	Capreol	203.10		.05
589	Grey	Toronto	212.60	3.00	
590	Defenders	Ottawa	365.40	3.00	
591	North Gate	Toronto	326.80		3.00
592	Fairbank	Toronto	277.55	1.65	
593	St. Andrew's	Hamilton	845.60	10.60	
594	Hillcrest	Hamilton	372.90	14.70	
595	Rideau	Ottawa	329.25	1.20	
596	Martintown	Martintown	132.50		1.10
597	Temple	London	325.00	2.00	
598	Dominion	Windsor	545.20		1.15
599	Mount Dennis	Weston	575.55	26.70	
600	Maple Leaf	Etobicoke	425.40		3.95
601	St. Paul	Sarnia	356.30		1.80
602	Hugh Murray	Hamilton	526.30	18.90	
603	Campbell	Campbellville	164.00	1.00	
604	Palace	Windsor	680.35		17.55
605	Melita	Thornhill	557.00	11.70	
606	Unity	Toronto	275.40	12.35	
607	Golden Fleece	Toronto	251.00	16.20	
608	Gothic	Lindsay	170.50	11.05	
609	Tavistock	Tavistock	169.85	10.00	
610	Ashlar	London	208.70	22.00	
611	Huron-Bruce	Toronto	336.60	4.60	
612	Birch Cliff	Scarborough	574.15	6.20	
613	Fort Erie	Fort Erie	337.15	10.50	
614	Adanac	St. Catharines	346.55		
615	Dominion	Ridgeway	139.40		
616	Perfection	St. Catharines	267.00	28.00	
617	North Bay	North Bay	476.40	20.00	
618	Thunder Bay	Thunder Bay	249.25	11.50	
619	Runnymede	Toronto	193.30	5.00	
620	Bay of Quinte	Thornhill	286.25	11.75	
621	Frontenac	Sharbot Lake	198.00	1.00	
622	Lorne	Chapleau	165.65	.25	
623	Doric	Kirkland Lake	297.70		
624	Dereham	Mt. Elgin	126.00		
625	Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie	210.00	1.00	
626	Stamford	Niagara Falls	345.60	3.00	
627	Pelee	Pelee Island	45.60	2.25	
628	Glenrose	Elmira	179.85		.05
629	Grenville	Toronto	334.35	2.45	
630	Prince of Wales	Toronto	184.80	1.00	
631	Manitou	Emo	166.20	1.00	
632	Long Branch	Mimico	287.20	11.80	
633	Hastings	Hastings	128.70		
634	Delta	Toronto	311.55	6.25	

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				Dr.	Cr.
635	Wellington	Toronto	334.30	2.00	
636	Hornepayne	Hornepayne	182.15	.50	
637	Caledonia	Toronto	726.70	41.90	
638	Bedford	Toronto	196.10	3.40	
639	Beach	Hamilton Beach	335.00	17.50	
640	Anthony Sayer	Mimico	135.50	5.40	
641	Garden	Windsor	277.60	4.20	
642	St. Andrew's	Windsor	294.00	1.00	
643	Cathedral	Toronto	318.50	6.60	
644	Simcoe	Toronto	317.60	1.00	
645	Lake Shore	Mimico	407.05	4.80	
646	Rowland	Mt. Albert	143.35	7.00	
647	Todmorden	Toronto	375.55	6.05	
648	Spruce Falls	Kapuskasing	342.80	7.40	
649	Temple	Oshawa	446.25	1.85	
650	Fidelity	Toledo	88.20	11.50	
651	Dentonia	Toronto	481.95		
652	Memorial	Toronto	420.05		.20
653	Scarboro	Scarborough	385.20	1.40	
654	Ancient Landmarks	Hamilton	263.05		.75
655	Kingsway	Etobicoke	224.90	13.50	
656	Kenogamisis	Geraldton	312.40		
657	Corinthian	Kirkland Lake	189.70	11.50	
658	Sudbury	Sudbury	420.90	1.00	
659	Equity	Orillia	313.65	13.30	
660	Chukuni	Red Lake	201.05		
661	St. Andrew's	St. Catharines	230.20	1.00	
662	Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay	192.15		1.75
663	Brant	Burlington	314.80	4.00	
664	Sunnylea	Etobicoke	259.20	2.00	
665	Temple	Ottawa	259.60	10.50	
666	Temple	Belleville	208.20	20.95	
667	Composite	Hamilton	251.60	11.50	
668	Atikokan	Atikokan	200.50		
669	Corinthian	Cornwall	189.40		
670	West Hill	Scarborough	455.50	10.50	
671	Westmount	Hamilton	184.30		
672	Superior	Red Rock	185.00	2.00	
673	Kempfenfeldt	Barrie	237.40	1.20	
674	South Gate	Port Credit	206.50		
675	William James				
	Dunlop	Peterborough	269.80	20.20	
676	Kroy	Thornhill	306.25	17.50	
677	Coronation	Weston	276.70	26.00	
678	Mercer Wilson	Woodstock	204.60		
679	Centennial	Niagara Falls	118.25		
680	Woodland	Wawa	130.80		
681	Claude M. Kent	Oakville	226.50	13.00	
682	Astra	Weston	204.20		
683	Wexford	Scarborough	247.70	2.00	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
684	Centennial	London	286.55	13.50	
685	Joseph A. Hearn	Port Credit	189.30		
686	Atomic	Deep River	189.40	17.50	
687	Meridian	Dundas	138.50		
688	Wyndham	Guelph	181.00	6.80	
689	Flower City	Brampton	255.50		4.40
690	Temple	Kitchener	208.15	2.50	
691	Friendship	Copper Cliff	159.70	2.00	
692	Thomas Hamilton				
	Simpson	Stoney Creek	225.70	2.00	
693	East Gate	Scarborough	202.80	2.00	
694	Baldoon	Wallaceburg	91.80	1.00	
695	Parkwood	Oshawa	179.90	13.50	
696	Harry L. Martyn	Toronto	140.05	11.10	
697	Grantham	St. Catharines	176.90		
698	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake	225.90	1.00	
699	Bethel	Sudbury	238.35		.75
700	Corinthian	Kintore	59.20		
701	Ashlar	Tillsonburg	223.45		
702	Lodge of Fellowship	Richmond Hill	195.90	1.00	
703	Lodge of the Pillars	Weston	149.15		
704	Aurum	Timmins	178.90		.10
705	Universe	Markham	161.70		
706	David T. Campbell	Whitby	125.40		
707	Eastern	Cornwall	117.40	8.50	
708	Oakridge	Byron	62.70	12.10	
709	Lakehead	Thunder Bay	131.60	1.00	
710	Unity	Brampton	161.60	2.00	
711	Progress	Toronto	117.00	1.00	
712	Trafalgar	Oakville	122.70	8.75	
713	Bridgewood	Woodbridge	122.70	1.80	
714	Battlefield	Stoney Creek	164.00	1.00	
715	Islington	Etobicoke	195.20	7.20	
716	Ionic	London	196.10		
717	Willowdale	Richmond Hill	97.60	3.00	
718	Twin Lakes	Orillia	110.40		
719	Otisippi	Sarnia	86.60		
720	Confederation	Scarborough	125.00	8.85	
UD	Bytown	Ottawa	61.00		1.00
UD	Concord	Hespeler	109.20		
			168,289.95	2,868.60	263.60
Receipts from Lodges			168,289.95		
Investments matured or sold			5,000.00		
Interest			51,928.72		
Refunds			364.20		
Installations			229.50		
Works			2,530.50		
Bank Exchange			105.25		
Sundry Sales			266.35		
			228,713.92		

GENERAL ACCOUNT**Summary of Receipts ended April 30th, 1970**

Fees, Registration of Initiations	\$ 12,350.00	
Fees, Registration of Affiliations	679.00	
Dues	131,898.72	
Life Member per capita	540.10	
Certificates	193.00	
Constitutions	4,921.43	
Ceremonies	130.20	
Dispensations	1,465.00	
Commutations	15,280.00	
Sale of Histories	78.00	
Musical Rituals	69.00	
Lapel Buttons	28.00	
Works	2,530.50	
Installations	229.50	
Booklets	642.80	
Manuals	280.50	
Bank Exchange	105.25	
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		171,421.00

Refunds:

Grand Lodge — 1969	364.20	
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		364.20

Interest on Investments:

Metropolitan Toronto	7,230.00	
Province of Ontario	12,695.00	
Ontario Hydro	10,475.00	
Government of Canada	5,137.50	
Masonic Holdings	13,229.17	
City of Hamilton	1,875.00	
City of Windsor	385.00	
Township of Sandwich East	80.00	
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (Deposit Receipts)	822.05	
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		51,928.72

Investments matured or redeemed

Masonic Holdings	5,000.00	
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		\$228,713.92
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MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS**Refunds:**

From Lodges re Benevolence	826.31
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Donations:

Georgian District	92.63
Charles Watt	8.00
H. O. Schroeder	53.56
Victoria Lodge No. 299	10.00
Masters in Trust (1935-1942)	61.80
Miscellaneous	60.00
Transfer from General Account	30,000.00
District of N. Vancouver (Part Redemption)	115.32
Estate Elmer J. Sirrs	22,000.00
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	\$ 53,227.62

Revenue Account, Year Ended April 30th, 1970

Province of Ontario	\$ 6,866.26
Metropolitan Toronto	5,735.00
Ontario Hydro	4,837.50
City of Hamilton	112.50
City of London	1,102.50
Government of Canada	10,815.00
City of Windsor	366.75
District of N. Vancouver	5.25
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	\$ 29,840.76

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,



Grand Secretary

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by the Grand Secretary, the Report was received and referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

The Grand Master appointed R.W. Bro. Robert Strachan, Chairman of the Committee of Scrutineers, to supervise and count the vote at the election of Grand Lodge officers, with power to name the members of the Committee.

REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Reports of the 39 District Deputy Grand Masters were presented by the Grand Secretary and on his motion, seconded by R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, they were received and referred to the Board of General Purposes.

The Report of every District Deputy Grand Master is addressed to "The Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario." Each begins, "Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren," and every one ends, quite rightly, "Respectfully and fraternally submitted." To save space these formalities are omitted from the beginning and end of each Report.

ALGOMA DISTRICT

To have served as the representative of our Grand Master in Algoma District has been a distinct honour for me. It has also been a most rewarding experience, leaving me with many pleasant memories.

To the Past Masters, Masters and Wardens of Algoma District, I tender my sincere thanks and appreciation for electing me to the office of D.D.G.M., and to the Most Wor. the Grand Master for confirming my election.

Following my election it was my pleasure to appoint Wor. Bro. W. E. Bonner as District Secretary, Wor. Bro. J. W. Potts as District Supervisor of Masonic Education, Rt. Wor. Bro. H. Lockwood as District Chairman of the Blood Donors' Committee, Rev. (Bro.) H. A. Vallis as District Chaplain, and Wor. Bro. F. Hole as District Chairman of Benevolence.

I will always be grateful to these brethren for their great help and many kindnesses during my term of office.

As I made my official inspections the District Secretary found that all books and records of each Lodge, had been, and were being kept in a proper manner in accordance with Grand Lodge requirements. The Secretaries and Treasurers are each to be commended on the excellent performances of their respective duties. Particular mention should be made of the late Secretary of Shuniah Lodge No. 287, Bro. George Connors, whose sudden and most unexpected call to the Grand Lodge Above caused this Lodge so much regret at the loss of such a dedicated and devoted brother.

Every Lodge was found to have considered ways and means for the encouragement of an increase in lodge meeting attendance. It appeared, generally, that the various methods used had been encouraged by a slight but continuing increase and that this would grow. The average seems to have increased over the past year at both general and emergent meetings.

The recommendations of Grand Lodge regarding Suspensions and Dimits have been strongly emphasized to each Lodge, as well as the suggestions regarding the individual handling of each one of such cases.

During every official visit to the District Lodges the recommendations of Grand Lodge regarding Masonic Education were presented. On every visit an experienced speaker accompanied the D.D.G.M. presenting an Educational talk. Severally, it was found that every Lodge had stressed talks on this subject which consisted of a variety of interesting topics. The Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association of Algoma District is also most active in presenting Educational talks on their visitations to the Lodges. Their Masonic Education Shield which is presented annually to the Lodge they consider has best contributed to Masonic Education was presented to Port Arthur Lodge, No. 499, for its efforts in this regard for the past year.

Blood Donors' Chairman, R.W. Bro. H. Lockwood, did an outstanding job in this regard, some 351 donors having contributed to the Blood Bank.

Benevolence Chairman, W. Bro. F. Hole, visited most Lodges with me and enlightened each Lodge Chairman where needed.

A special report has been prepared regarding Temple Buildings-Alterations-Improvements-Lodge Finances.

Some of the outstanding District events were the Divine Service held in St. Andrews Presbyterian Church on May 3, at which we had a good attendance of brethren and their families. The Divine Service, held in St. Lukes Anglican Church at Horne-payne, was well attended also.

The Joint Masonic Ladies' Night, Dinner and Dance, was an enjoyable event for Mrs. Rudman and myself, together with

the District Secretary and Mrs. Bonner. The attendance was well over 400 brethren and their ladies. Mrs. Rudman and I were also guests of the brethren of Thunder Bay Lodge and their ladies at their Annual Ladies' Night.

The annual Curling Bonspiel between the Craft Lodges and the Knights of Columbus was a successful event.

In closing, may I offer my heartfelt thanks to the Past Grand Lodge Officers, Past Masters and Masters who so ably assisted me during my term of office. I feel certain that my successor will receive the same degree of assistance during his term.

It has been a rewarding year and I trust that, in some way, my efforts have contributed to the betterment of Masonry in Algoma District.

B. E. RUDMAN, D.D.G.M.

BRANT DISTRICT

Again it is my privilege to report on the events of the year in Brant District.

It is with deep regret that I must report that on January 23, 1970, our D.D.G.M. Rt. Wor. Harry Clark passed away and our deepest sympathy goes to Mrs. Clark and her family. Having had the privilege of being D.D.G.M. during the previous term our Most Wor. Grand Master appointed me to finish this term.

As I was on vacation during the month of February Rt. Wor. Allan E. Broadley attended the two official meetings in February and has assisted me in every way possible during the balance of the term.

The District officers are Wor. Bro. J. Culver, District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. A. C. Brooker, District Secretary, Wor. Bro. David Ritchie, Chairman of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. Jack Revell, Chairman of Benevolence and Wor. Bro. Harry Chivers, Chairman of Blood Donors. These officers are dedicated and talented Masons and attended all Official Visits, as well as many others, speaking briefly at each meeting. I will always be most grateful to these officers and the Brethren of Brant Lodge, No. 45, for their kindness and co-operation extended to me.

I have visited all 14 Lodges in the District, either officially or unofficially, and am pleased to report that the Masters and their Wardens and Officers are almost without exception young men and conduct both the work and the business in a very excellent manner.

We are fortunate in having a very active Masters' and Past Masters' Association as well as a 28 Club which is comprised of

the Wardens of the District. Both the Masters' Association and the Wardens' Club have excellent degree teams and, by visiting and working degrees throughout the District, are well known to all Lodges.

Our District Church Service was held at Marlboro United Church, Brantford on May 3rd, 1970. Rev. J. H. McCallum was assisted by Rt.Wor. Bro. Rev. R. Gordon Hazlewood, B.A., B.D., Past Grand Chaplain, who delivered a most outstanding sermon.

The high light of the year was a reception and banquet for our Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster, at St. John's Lodge, Cayuga on their 125th Anniversary. St. John's Lodge, being the mother Lodge of our Grand Master, there was a capacity attendance.

In conclusion, I would like to thank all those who have assisted me during the time I have been in office. It is both a privilege, Most Wor. Sir, and a pleasure to have served you and the Brant District and I hope that, in some small way, we have made a contribution to the advancement of Masonry.

GARNET BROWN, D.D.G.M.

BRUCE DISTRICT

It has been a truly rewarding and happy experience for me to serve as D.D.G.M. in Bruce District for the past year. For this privilege I am grateful to the brethren of Forest Lodge, No. 393, for nominating me, to Bruce District, for unanimously electing me, and to the Grand Master for confirming my election to this high office.

Following my election I appointed Wor. Bro. Gilbert Mair, District Secretary, Rev. Bro. Donald Archibald, District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Hans Blohm, Chairman Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. Percy Melville, Chairman of Blood Donors and Wor. Bro. Ronald Oswald, Chairman of Benevolence. They filled their respective offices in a most creditable manner.

Bruce District is a rural district, with, in most cases, relatively small lodges. On my twelve Official Visits the attendance was very large, every lodge room being filled to capacity with members and visitors. All but two lodges put on degree work on these occasions. The work was of a very high degree of excellence. I am happy to report that most of the lodges are making gains in membership through initiations and affiliations. The lodge rooms are well kept and the Masonic spirit runs high.

Besides my Official Visits I attended lodges in the District to present three Fifty Year Lapel Buttons. I also attended three

Memorial Services. And on other occasions I met with the Boards of General Purposes for various reasons when I could assist them.

My wife and I attended eight Ladies' Nights in the District where we were cordially received and highly entertained.

I attended two receptions for the Grand Master held in other districts. I also attended Official Visits of D.D.G.M.s in all districts bordering on Bruce.

We have a very active Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association in Bruce District. Four meetings are held each year, three being Masonic Education Meetings with the best speakers we can get, and the fourth being a Ladies' Night.

Bruce District Divine Service was held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Tara, May 31st, with Rev. Bro. Donald Archibald in charge. He brought a very fine message, based on the twelve foundation stones of the Temple, to a capacity attendance of Masons, their wives and families.

As my year of office draws to a close, I hope I have made some contribution to our Craft in Ontario in general and to Bruce District in particular.

EDGAR R. ASH, D.D.G.M.

CHATHAM DISTRICT

I hereby gratefully acknowledge, with thanks to all concerned, the privilege that has been mine this past year. In particular, I convey my sincere thanks to Wor. Bro. Joseph Raine, District Secretary, who left nothing to be desired in the fulfilment of the duties of that office, to Wor. Bro. Edsel Steen, District Education Chairman who, among other things, arranged two instructional meetings at which the attendance was extremely gratifying, to Bro. Rev. Lewis Dixon, who, after having been moved to Windsor, returned to speak at our District Divine Service at which the attendance was very good; to Wor. Bro. Peter Shillington, who accepted the responsibilities of the office of Blood Donor Chairman for a second year.

Throughout the year, both at the instructional meetings and Official Visits, we endeavoured to deal with the problems encountered in the operation of a Lodge, such as protocol, lodge etiquette, how to conduct the meeting with efficiency, ways to increase attendance, lodge finances, etc. At every Official Visit I made mention of the Grand Lodge Library and urged the brethren to avail themselves of its facilities.

I am happy to congratulate the Lodges of the District on endeavouring to start their meetings on time and I trust they will

continue to do so. I found the attendance to be extremely good on District Deputy Night or on special occasions, but not as good at ordinary meetings. It is evident that the Wor. Masters must continually try to vary the program to keep the brethren interested.

We have circulated a short monthly news letter to our Lodges this year in an effort to keep everyone informed of the events in our own District and to keep the members at least partially informed of the busy schedule of our Grand Master, with whom I have had the pleasure of travelling on several occasions. May I suggest that we must continually stress the importance of the duties of the Junior Officers of a Lodge. Perhaps Grand Lodge could direct some instructional material to them and help instill in them the desire to become good Masters.

The District Secretary has found that lodge records are well kept and the Officers are aware of the importance of keeping the Lodges financially sound.

Many of the Lodges have Ladies' Nights or other social evenings. Wor. Bro. Raine, our wives and I were able to attend some of these events. We thank the Lodges for their hospitality.

I had the pleasure of being present at and assisting in the presentation of at least ten 50 Year Lapel Buttons and one 60 Year Button. These are always wonderful evenings.

As this report is being written, we are looking forward to the dedication of the beautiful new Temple at Blenheim. The members of Kent Lodge are to be congratulated on this fine undertaking.

The highlight of my term came in September when Howard Lodge, No. 391 held a reception in honor of our newly installed Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster. Among the 275 brethren who joined with us were five Past Grand Masters, the Deputy Grand Master, seventeen members of the Board, the Grand Senior and Junior Wardens, twelve District Deputies and several other Grand Lodge Officers.

I hear occasionally, both locally and in other Districts, some who suggest that Grand Lodge should do this or Grand Lodge should do that. Perhaps some of these suggestions have merit, but should we not, possibly, take stock of our own shortcomings first and rededicate ourselves to the advancement of our Fraternity which we hold so dearly.

DAVID J. McINTYRE, D.D.G.M.

EASTERN DISTRICT

The privilege of serving as the representative of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master in Eastern District has been a most rewarding experience. I wish to thank the brethren of Friendly

Brothers Lodge, No. 143, Iroquois, for selecting me for this honour, the Grand Master for confirming their selection, and the brethren of Eastern District for their support.

I held two preseason meetings early in September and all Lodges were represented. I found these meetings most beneficial as they acquainted me with the Masters of the Lodges and enabled me to outline my program of visitations and convey the instructions received from Most Wor. Bro. Martyn.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Clare Brown, District Secretary, Wor. Bro. Rev. J. Leslie Dean, District Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. George Revell, Chairman of Masonic Education, Rt. Wor. Bro. T. E. Amell, Blood Donor Chairman, Wor. Bro. Ambert Brown, Chairman of Benevolence. All these brethren were of invaluable assistance to me and I wish to express my deepest appreciation to them.

The Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association of Eastern District held two meetings during the year, one in October and one in April. At our October meeting we were honoured to have Rt. Wor. Bro. W. K. Bailey, Deputy Grand Master, as our guest speaker. Rt. Wor. Bro. Bailey is no stranger to the brethren of Eastern District and it is always a pleasure to welcome him to our District.

On May 29th, the Grand Master visited Eastern District on the occasion of the dedication of Martintown's new lodge premises. The District held a reception for the Grand Master preceding the dedication. The halls were filled to capacity for both occasions.

The District Church Service was held on Sunday, May 31st, in the Iroquois United Church. The address was given by Wor. Bro. J. Leslie Dean, District Chaplain and Minister of the Church. The Service was attended by a large number of Masons from the District, as well as a number of visitors from the surrounding Districts.

We were saddened by the death of Rt. Wor. Bro. Frank Shaver. Rt. Wor. Bro. Shaver was D.D.G.M. in 1917. He was most active in Masonry and had taken part in degree work a few nights before his sudden death. Rt. Wor. Bro. Shaver was an eloquent speaker, ardent Mason and a gentleman. His passing leaves all Masons in Eastern District saddened at the loss of a beloved brother.

The condition of Masonry in Eastern District is good. The Masters and officers are well skilled and enthusiastic. I spoke extensively on the finances of the lodge including the granting of life memberships. This is an aspect of Masonry which is unfortunately overlooked by the individual lodge until it is too late. It has been rewarding to see that several lodges are increasing their dues and are amending their by-laws concerning the granting of life memberships. This will place these lodges in a more

healthy financial condition and enable them to meet rapidly rising costs.

We do, however, have a problem in Eastern District. Our District borders on the Province of Quebec. This part of Quebec is heavily populated and the French-speaking people are rapidly becoming predominant in the eastern part of the District. This causes hardships for several lodges, due to the fact that the availability of prospective candidates is rapidly diminishing. This causes concern to these lodges, especially those who do not own their own premises. They cannot afford to build a lodge hall if forced to move.

Heavy industry is lacking in centres other than Cornwall. Cornwall has a high percentage of unemployment and this reflects on the prosperity of the District. The chief type of farming for the District is dairy which is not enjoying prosperity at this time. It naturally follows that many young men do not take up farming as an occupation and, with the unemployment situation which has generally existed during the last decade, the young skilled tradesmen or university graduates are going to other parts of the Province to seek employment.

I think this is a unique situation which exists in Eastern District and requires flexibility when dealing with any lodge which has to seek new premises. I fear that if lodges are compelled to amalgamate with a neighbouring lodge, it will mean a serious loss of membership. Members who are not too active continue as members of the Craft because they feel a sense of responsibility to their own lodge. This sense of responsibility would no longer exist if their lodge lost its identity and these members would drift away from Masonry. In these times, when we are all concerned with loss of membership, it is our responsibility as Masons to do everything in our power to prevent this decline in membership.

In conclusion, I wish my successor every success in the coming year. I know that the brethren of Eastern District will afford him the support and fellowship which I have enjoyed and which has made this past year a most memorable occasion.

CARL E. VANCAMP, D.D.G.M.

FRONTENAC DISTRICT

It is with great pride that I submit this, my report on the condition of Masonry in Frontenac District. It has been a rewarding experience to serve as the representative of our Grand Master, Most. Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster, and I express grateful and humble thanks.

All the lodges were visited at least once, and many on more than one occasion. I was received with dignity and honour,

showing the respect the brethren have for Grand Lodge, and was treated royally on every occasion. On two of my Official Visits the attendance of members and visitors filled the lodge room to capacity, leaving insufficient floor area to conduct degree work. May I hasten to add, it was a pleasure to visit these lodges a second time to see the work performed. Believe me, it is a great honour to be received in a crowded lodge, and I thank all brethren for their faithful attendance and splendid co-operation.

The Worshipful Masters of Frontenac District are a dedicated group of enthusiastic leaders, receiving excellent support from their former officers. The interlodge visitations, promoted at every opportunity by Rt. Wor. Bro. Arthur Hodgson and the Masonic Education Committee under the active leadership of Wor. Bro. Fraser Howes, stimulated greater interest which was reflected by increased lodge attendance throughout the district. The great number of requests received for talks on Masonic ritual, history or philosophy, was most satisfying to the Masonic Education Committee.

The reception of Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster on the occasion of the 175th anniversary of The Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 3, Kingston, in October, and the centennial celebration of Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 228, Odessa, in April, were both outstanding events which were well represented by Grand Lodge Officers and the brethren. Perhaps the most important evening of the year was in April, when a Lodge of Instruction was held under the very capable leadership of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Custodian of the Work; it was of great benefit to all Masons. This evening was most successful, and I strongly recommend that it should become a regular scheduled event in each district.

The District Church Service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Kingston, was well attended with most district lodges well represented. This was due in a large measure to the regular attendance and efforts of Brother Rev. Kenneth Fenton, District Chaplain.

The important work of the Benevolent Committee, and of the Blood Donors' Committee was stressed on numerous occasions by Wor. Bros. Bert Stone and Hanlen Babcock respectively.

Wor. Brother Maynard Slack, District Secretary, found all the lodge records duly audited and maintained in a satisfactory manner. In general, the lodges are in a sound financial status, but a number of the smaller rural lodges are facing difficulties through the absence of candidates. In the near future it may become necessary for some neighbouring country lodges to consolidate into one centrally located temple in which individual lodges could continue to function under their separate charters, but with concurrent jurisdiction.

In conclusion, I am happy to report that there is an active interest in Freemasonry throughout Frontenac District. I have endeavoured to fulfil my Masonic duties faithfully and to the best of my ability. It is my humble prayer that, in some small way, I have contributed to the good of the Craft, more especially in this district. For this memorable year, may I express my thanks and appreciation to my brother Masons. You have made it a very pleasant, profitable and never to be forgotten experience, which I shall cherish till time shall be no more.

KEITH HAY, D.D.G.M.

GEORGIAN DISTRICT

It has been a great honour and a privilege to represent the Grand Master, in the Georgian District for the past year, and it is with pleasure that I submit my report.

I would first like to thank the members of Kerr Lodge, No. 230, for nominating me as their candidate for the office of D.D.G.M., the brethren of Georgian District for electing me and you Most Wor. Sir, for confirming my election.

The District Officers, W. Bro. W. J. Linton, District Secretary, V.W. Bro. Light, Grand Organist and Supervisor of Masonic Education, W. Bro. C. J. Allison, District Chairman of Benevolence (a new office in Georgian District) and Bro. Rev. Duncan K. Fleming, District Chaplain, accompanied me on most of my Official Visits and their short lodge-room talks were instructive and enjoyable to all who heard them.

In addition to my Official Visit to each Lodge, I visited many on other occasions. On one of these occasions it was my pleasure to present a 50 Year Past Master Lapel Button to my Chairman of Benevolence, W. Bro. C. J. Allison. The reception and honours accorded me were most cordial and sincere and indicated to me the very high esteem in which Grand Lodge is held in this District. The calibre of work in most of the Lodges was of a very high standard which augurs well for the effort that is being put forward by the Masters and Officers. The meetings at most of the Lodges showed good planning and there was active participation by the brethren of the body of the Lodge. This was most noticeable in the fine Masonic Education talks which I was privileged to hear.

One interesting statistic which I acquired from my visits was the ratio of attendance to the resident membership of the various Lodges. I found that Lodges having resident membership of 80 or less, attendance averaged 37.2%; Lodges having 80 to 200 resident members, attendance dropped to 23%; and where resident membership was 200 to 300 the attendance dropped to 12.33%. If these

statistics hold up over the whole of our Grand Jurisdiction, should we not promote more new Lodges and limit membership for our present Lodges so that there is work and interest for all members?

At the time of my Official Visits I carried out an inspection of the Lodge premises. In general, all buildings appear to be well looked after. In two of our Lodges, I suggested better marking of the fire exits, and in two others, I suggested improvements to the ante rooms.

The District Secretary, W. Bro. W. J. Linton, examined the records of the Secretaries and Treasurers of all Lodges. He reported that they were, in most cases, discharging their duties to the Lodges in an efficient, outstanding manner. I regret to report that outstanding dues are still a problem in some Lodges.

On April 28th of this year, I attended the Special Centennial Meeting of Kerr Lodge, No. 230. The rededication ceremony was beautiful and impressive. Following the close of the Lodge the brethren joined their ladies in the banquet hall for refreshments. A birthday cake was cut by the two oldest Past Masters in the Lodge, R.W. Bro. R. W. Stewart and W. Bro. C. J. Allison. Many Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers attended with their ladies.

Many of the Lodges in this District have derived great pleasure from the frequent visits of the Grand Senior Warden, R.W. Bro. G. Ivor Davies; the Grand Junior Warden R.W. Bro. R. L. Burns and the Grand Chaplain R.W. Bro. M. S. Jess. The visit of the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, to Manito Lodge in Collingwood was pleasurable and instructive, and was enjoyed by the visiting brethren of this District.

The Masonic Officers' Association of Georgian District, at its January meeting, changed the name of the Association to The Georgian District Masonic Association. By broadening the membership of this Association, it allows participation by all lodge members in the executive of the Association. Two meetings have been held this year. At the Fall Dinner Meeting the Speaker for the evening was Illustrious Brother F. E. Belsham, Deputy for Ontario for the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite. R.W. Bro. McQueen was the Guest Speaker at our annual election evening. His Address, and the question and answer period, gave us all a better understanding of Masonic Benevolence.

The District Divine Service was held on Sunday, May 3, 1970, at Collier Street United Church in Barrie. The Service was well-attended by the district brethren and their families. The Service was conducted by Bro. Rev. Duncan Fleming, District Chaplain, and he was assisted by Bro. Rev. David Proctor, the Pastor of Collier St. Church. A fine Masonic Choir enhanced the Service. In addition, most Lodges held their own Divine Services, and good attendance has been reported.

In conclusion, my fervent hope is that my contribution to Masonry in this year may, in part at least, have merited the confidence placed in me by the brethren of Georgian District when they elected me to this high office. I pray, that, in the years to come, I may add more of what I have received from Masonry to Masonry in general and to the brethren of this District in particular in return for the privilege and honour of serving in the office of D.D.G.M.

L. CROOK, D.D.G.M.

GREY DISTRICT

To have served as the representative of the Grand Master in Grey District has been the greatest experience of my Masonic career. It has been a most rewarding year that will not soon be forgotten. I am indebted to my own lodge, Durham, No. 306, for nominating me to this important office and to you, Most Wor. Sir for confirming my election.

Following my election I appointed Wor. Bro. Fred Arnett as District Secretary, Bro. Rev. G. Howard Pace, District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Henry Pudden, Chairman of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. J. Alexander, Chairman of Benevolence and Wor. Bro. C. McGirr, Chairman of Blood Donors. To these brethren I am indebted for the planning and time they spent in carrying out their respective duties.

Early in September I called a meeting of the Masters in the District and outlined my plans for the year ahead. The dates for my Official Visits were set at this meeting. I spoke briefly regarding no diversion from the ritual, the Masters' duties and the importance of having as many of the new brethren take part in the work as possible. There was considerable discussion regarding many important aspects of our great Brotherhood.

I am indeed grateful for the warm welcome extended to me by the brethren on my Official Visits. I found the brethren, officers, Past Masters and Junior members who took part in the work well-skilled and I commended and complimented them on the splendid manner in which they presented the work. The District Chairmen, who accompanied me on my official visits, stressed the importance of Masonic Education, Benevolence and Blood Donations. I am pleased to report that each lodge in Grey District devoted time to Masonic Education at a number of their meetings during the year.

During the year Mrs. McNaughton and I had the pleasure of attending a number of Ladies' Nights in our own District. We are grateful for the gracious hospitality extended to us on these occasions.

The Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association of Grey District held a Lodge of Instruction on March 30, 1970 in Markdale. The Senior Wardens of the District under the guidance of Rt. Wor. Bro. W. Newell and Rt. Wor. Bro. Fred Bannon exemplified the First Degree. There was a discussion period after the degree work, when many questions were brought forward and discussed. Rt. Wor. Bro. D. S. Copus gave a very interesting address on "The Indispensable Mason" at the Banquet hour which followed. We were also pleased to welcome Rt. Wor. Bro. C. J. S. Nixon and Rt. Wor. Bro. M. J. Damp, who spoke briefly regarding our interesting meeting.

The District Divine Service was held in Knox United Church, Durham on May 31. The Church was filled to capacity and a very inspiring sermon was presented by the Pastor, Rev. Bro. G. Howard Pace. We were pleased to have the Saugeen Valley Chorus as our choir, which added greatly to the Service.

There were many highlights this Masonic year but the feature was the visit to Grey District by Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster, our Grand Master, who was the guest speaker at the Centennial celebration of Harris Lodge, Orangeville. The sincerity and warmth of the Grand Master's address to the brethren was an inspiration to all present.

In conclusion, I am happy to report that the condition of Masonry in Grey District is excellent and a fine spirit exists throughout. I have enjoyed my work the past year and I hope that, through my association in the District, I have left something that will be of fraternal value in our order.

H. E. McNAUGHTON, D.D.G.M.

HAMILTON DISTRICT "A"

The past year has been a most rewarding experience to me and, I trust, of some benefit to the District and Masonry in general. The respect and dignity with which I was received was indicative of the high regard our Lodges hold for our Grand Master and Grand Lodge.

Prior to commencing my Official Visits, I held an informal meeting with the Masters and Senior Wardens of District "A" in Burlington Lodge Hall to explain what was expected of them, and held a general discussion which I feel was beneficial to all.

Both Hamilton Districts took part in a Lodge of Instruction on the Ceremony of Installation held in St. Clair Lodge, Milton, under the guidance of M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Custodian of the Work. Preparations were made by R.W. Bro. W. L. Sommerville, with 108 attending this timely October meeting.

During my Official Visits I witnessed degree work in each Lodge and was much impressed by the sincerity of presentation to candidates of apparent high calibre. Despite the lack of candidates in some Lodges, the work throughout the District is well done, and it is encouraging to see members taking an active part, for herein lies the future of our Order. Attendance was always very good, in particular by visitors. A number of the District Lodge Halls have been redecorated or are in the process of being done, which will certainly make them more appealing. The brethren, working on these projects, are to be congratulated.

I feel fortunate with my choice of District Officers and express my appreciation to them for their efforts. I was ably assisted by my Secretary, Wor. Bro. Willard Watson, who proved very efficient in the performance of his duties, reporting that the books of the Lodges were generally in good order, with fees, dues and insurances being updated as necessary.

Masonic Education was under the capable supervision of Wor. Bro. Stanley Ratford. Total attendance at three meetings was 488, with the highlight being a "Duties of Officers Meeting" in Burlington Lodge, with 223 attending. Waterdown and Dundurn Lodges hosted the other meetings, to which gifted speakers from Grand Lodge contributed to their success.

A well-attended Divine Service for both Hamilton Districts was held in St. Columbo Presbyterian Church, conducted by Bro. Rev. Thomas J. Caldwell, District "A" Chaplain, with the sermon by Bro. Rev. Arthur Watson, District "B" Chaplain.

The new office of District Chairman of Benevolence was in the capable hands of Wor. Bro. Joseph Schofield Sr. and I hope Lodge Secretaries will make greater use of this source of assistance.

Wor. Bro. James Robson, Blood Donors' Chairman, has been very active during the year in promoting this worthy cause. An excellent report is anticipated.

The harmony in the District was somewhat disrupted by the subject of intoxicants at Ladies' Nights. I know that Grand Lodge in their wisdom will give this matter consideration and take such action as they deem necessary.

I was pleased to visit Lodges for 50 Year Lapel Button presentations, anniversary celebrations, receptions for the Grand Master and the Grand Wardens, and for M. Wor. Bro. Ewart G. Dixon in recognition of 50 years as a Past Master. These, Ladies' Nights, and many more such occasions have made my year a memorable one for which I will always be grateful. I have also enjoyed my association with R. Wor. Bro. Arthur Jenner and appreciate the courtesies extended to me by the District "B" Lodges.

May I thank all who have assisted me during my term of office, the District Lodges, R. Wor. Bro. James Dunnet, Grand Lodge, the Past Masters' and the Masters' and Wardens' Associations, and all who accompanied me on my visitations.

In conclusion, may I say that it has been a privilege for me to serve Hamilton District "A" where Masonry is indeed in good condition, with prospects for an even brighter future.

MARTIN E. MORROW, D.D.G.M.

HAMILTON DISTRICT "B"

It has indeed been an honour and a pleasure to have been elected as D.D.G.M. during the past Masonic year and I would take this opportunity to thank the brethren of Hamilton District "B" for making this possible and to thank you, Most Worshipful Sir, for confirming my election last July.

I officially visited each of the twenty-one lodges in this District, and whenever special evenings were being held I endeavoured to be present if at all possible. During December, 1969, and January, 1970, I enjoyed the invitation of a number of lodges to attend their Installations and make the "Proclamation". Officers appointed to accompany me during the year were, Wor. Bro. Wm. Macintosh, District Secretary, Wor. Bro. John D. Lumley, District Chairman of Benevolence, Wor. Bro. David Coupar, District Supervisor of Masonic Education, Bro. (Rev.) Arthur W. Watson, District Chaplain, and the late Wor. Bro. Charles L. Sheldon, District Blood Donor Chairman. We regret to advise that the last mentioned officer was called to the Grand Lodge Above during the year. The above mentioned officers were most co-operative in their respective duties and most of them were able to be present on all my Official Visits.

For the first time in this District arrangements were made whereby one of the other Lodges in the District accompanied the D.D.G.M. on each Official Visit which resulted in ten to twenty members at each visit.

I found the ritual work and general deportment of all the Lodges in the District to be all that could be asked for and, if perfection was not shown, it was certainly made up for in earnest endeavour. The latter, I feel, does more to impress the candidate than anything else during the ceremonies.

In September 1968 the Hamilton Masonic Temple was destroyed by fire and the loss has been severely felt by the sixteen lodges which met there, of which number eight were in District "B". However, these Lodges found accommodation at the Ancaster, Dundas and Stoney Creek Temples, as well as Concession Street and Buchanan Hall Temples in Hamilton. My sincere thanks is

extended to the officers of these respective Temples for their hospitality.

A joint Divine Service of Hamilton Districts "A" & "B" was held on March 8th at St. Columbo Presbyterian Church, Main Street East in Hamilton, this being the Parish of Bro. (Rev.) Thomas J. Caldwell, Chaplain for District "A". The Sermon was given by Bro. (Rev.) Arthur W. Watson, Chaplain for District "B".

Our Masonic Education Night, under the supervision of our District Chairman, was held in March at the Stoney Creek Temple under the auspices of Battlefield Lodge, No. 714. This was an evening enjoyed by all with the principal speaker being Rt. Wor. Bro. G. Ivor Davies, Grand Senior Warden, assisted by four brethren with five minute talks.

The Past Masters' Association and Masters' and Wardens' Association in Hamilton have been very active and my sincere thanks is extended to the officers of both these bodies for their assistance. The social part of my year was most enjoyable and Mrs. Jenner and I, by invitation, attended twelve Ladies' Nights, all of which revealed that considerable preparation must have been made by those responsible for these occasions. I also attended several Banquets and Receptions in honour of our Grand Master.

In closing, I would like to thank all Grand Lodge Officers who assisted me during my year and to take this opportunity to assure my successor that he may look forward to a very enlightening and instructive year.

ARTHUR E. JENNER, D.D.G.M.

LONDON EAST DISTRICT

I am pleased to submit this report on the condition of Masonry in the London East District. It may best be expressed by a resume of the activities of the various committees and under the following headings.

District Secretary:

This office was ably filled by Wor. Bro. Garfield Kirkpatrick. His reports show that the lodge records are well kept and that the financial conditions of the lodges are sound.

District Chaplain:

I was fortunate to have Wor. Bro. Rev. J. Gordon Houghton assume this office as he has been District Chaplain before in the Windsor District. He spoke briefly to the brethren on the Official Visits with much profit to all. A District Divine Service, held in his Church St. David's, London, filled it to overflowing.

Masonic Education:

This important part of the work was attended to by chairman Wor. Bro. Hugh Brownlee, assisted by Wor. Bro. Wm. Deller and Wor. Bro. Jack Anderson. The program consisted of interlodge visits whereby each lodge Educational Committee visited another lodge, usually accompanied by other members, and presented an educational program. A District Lodge of Instruction was held at which the work of the First Degree was exemplified and explained.

Blood Donors:

General Chairman of the London Districts, Wor. Bro. Wm. Fuller, and London East Chairman, Wor. Bro. Ronald Shoebottom arranged two Blood Donor Clinics at Red Cross House.

Benevolence:

Wor. Bro. Albert Lawson, Chairman of this new District Office, did not have much work for which we are thankful.

Ritual:

Wor. Masters and Officers are well skilled in the performance of the work and conduct themselves and the meetings with dignity.

Divine Services:

Most lodges hold a Divine Service once a year with three of them serving breakfast previous to the Service. Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, Sunrise Service and Breakfast at Fanshawe Park regularly attracts nine hundred to a thousand and is a very inspiring sight.

Condition of Buildings:

Generally good to excellent. Some older premises, occupied by a small lodge, are in need of overhauling or replacing. In these times that takes considerable money. I would recommend that Grand Lodge should form a committee to study the feasibility of establishing a revolving loan fund, that is a capital fund from which loans may be made to lodges for a stated period at reasonable interest rates and with yearly repayments on the principal. As the money comes in from these repayments, money is again available for further loans.

Necrology:

London East District was saddened by the passing of V. Wor. Bro. Wm. Graham, Past Grand Director of Ceremonies, and V. Wor. Bro. Cecil Fox, Past Grand Steward, two active Masons that are missed.

Past Masters' Association:

The highlight of this Association's year was the fish dinner which was addressed by Rt. Wor. Bro. George Turner.

General:

Masonry in the London East District is in the hands of capable Worshipful Masters, which is the most important office in Free Masonry and the one on which so much of the welfare of the lodges and happiness of the brethren depend. I would suggest that the booklet "Information for Worshipful Masters and Wardens in Preparation for Responsible Leadership in Masonic Lodges" be sent to all Senior Wardens. This is a fine booklet and should help them to prepare to be Worshipful Masters. They need and deserve all the help we can give them in preparation to be Master of a lodge.

Finally, I extend my thanks to all the brethren of London East District for their co-operation and support. Every lodge held a very fine Ladies' Night at which Mrs. Lansdell and I were guests. It has been a pleasure, Most Worshipful Sir, to be your representative which was made very easy by the respect in which the Grand Master is held in the London East District.

NORMAN L. LANSDELL, D.D.G.M.

LONDON WEST DISTRICT

My humble words of appreciation seem so insignificant in return for the honour and trust which I received from my brethren of King Solomon's Lodge, No. 378, all the brethren of London West District and yourself, Most Worshipful Sir, for my election and confirmation of the same.

The following brethren ably assisted me and I am indebted to them for their wholehearted efforts. Wor. Bro. Orville C. Bridgeman, District Secretary, Bro. Rev. Robert G. Trimble, District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Reginald Norris, Supervisor Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. Bernard Hann, Blood Donor Chairman, Wor. Bro. Jack E. Marshall, Chairman of Benevolence. The success attained can only be attributed to the team effort of all. It is hoped that the adoption of the theme "Getting To Know You Better" will not end with the close of this Masonic year but will continue to grow and flourish.

On each of my visits I was graciously and hospitably received. The work of all fourteen lodges is of exceptionally high calibre and the enthusiasm prevailing will encourage the younger officers to continue. It was not always possible to witness a degree at each Official Visit but other occasions permitted ample opportunity to observe the work.

Some noteworthy information, compiled by the District Secretary on attendance and membership, permits the following observations. Attendance at all meetings shows an increase. Membership in outlying and suburban areas is increasing slightly,

while in the city the opposite situation prevails. It could be construed that initiation fees and lodge dues may be contributing factors and that lodges, enjoying concurrent jurisdiction, should possibly be more realistic and relevant in relation to each other in keeping with the times.

It was an exhilarating experience to be able to present one Sixty-Year and five Fifty-Year Long Service Awards. The opportunity of attending several installations afforded me the pleasure of being present when Very Wor. Bro. Charles Smuck of Corinthian Lodge, No. 330, installed his son, James, as Worshipful Master and invested his son, Allan, as Senior Warden.

I am pleased to report that most lodges held Divine Services, eight of which I was able to attend. The District Divine Service was held on Sunday evening, April 12th, at Wesley United Church, London, and exceeded my fondest expectations. The attendance of the brethren and their families was excellent and I express my thanks to the District Chaplain for a most meaningful Service and for his inspiring address. To our Deputy Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. William K. Bailey and Mrs. Bailey, Rt. Wor. Bro. Norman Lansdell, D.D.G.M., London East District, Wor. Bro. Rev. Gordon Houghton, London East District Chaplain, I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation for their attendance and assistance.

Masonic Education enjoys a prominent place in the agenda of each lodge at frequent intervals. The program of Inter-Lodge Visitations added real meaning to the district theme "Getting To Know You Better".

The Blood Donors' Committee has been working quietly and continually and, although the recent district clinic results are not available at this precise time, all indications are for an increase. Appreciation is extended to Wor. Bro. Wm. Fuller who was general chairman for both districts.

Mrs. Hurst and I had the pleasure of attending, as honoured guests, all the Ladies' Nights in the District, plus some in our sister District, London East. We are both very grateful for the gracious hospitality shown to us on all occasions.

The completion of my Official Visits and the submission of this report signifies the drawing to a close a busy, but extremely interesting and rewarding year.

ROY C. HURST, D.D.G.M.

MUSKOKA - PARRY SOUND DISTRICT

It has been a great honour and privilege, as well as a very rewarding experience, for me to represent the Grand Master in

Muskoka-Parry Sound District for the past year and it is with pleasure that I make my report.

My first thought is to express my sincere thanks to the brethren of Powassan Lodge, No. 443, for my nomination, and to all the brethren of all the lodges in this district for electing me to the office and making available to me, thereby, the most challenging year imaginable. They gave me every support and encouragement and, in some way, I trust that, with their help, I may have contributed to the advancement of Masonry in this district.

During the year prior to my election, I had the privilege of serving as President of the very active Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association of our district, under whose sponsorship and planning a Lodge of Instruction was held at Unity Lodge in Huntsville on Saturday, October 25, 1969. Members attended from all lodges in the district and assisted in exemplifying various sections of the Work. During the presentation of these sections, a critical analysis was carried on by the Custodian of the Work, Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, whose great knowledge, humor and approach to the problems made the day both instructive and enjoyable. All the brethren present would wish me to thank him for his work on our behalf.

The responsibilities of my office were greatly lightened by the support given to me by the district officers who assisted me. The District Secretary, Wor. Bro. H. D. Toswell, as well as the Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Eldon Brooks, Chairman of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. R. Frederick, Chairman of Blood Donors, Wor. Bro. Lloyd Anderson, and Chairman of Benevolence, Wor. Bro. M. C. Steele, all performed the duties required of them and gave me great moral support. I must also mention the loyal support of many members who accompanied me on long trips to the various lodges.

During the year, all lodges were visited, and the banquets and meetings were models of fraternal communication and Masonic friendship. At most meetings degrees were conferred. I have great praise for the enthusiasm and desire for perfection displayed by all officers in an effort to excel in their respective offices. The business affairs of the lodges are carefully managed. My general observation is that Masonry in this district is in careful and capable hands, that due concern is noted for the problems of Masonry, and efforts are being made to assure its future in the best traditions of the fraternity, with the basic principle of brotherly regard being practiced to an admirable degree.

On Sunday, May 3rd, 1970, the Masons of the District joined with the congregation of Powassan United Church in a Masonic Church Service. It was well attended by the brethren. Rev. E. T. J. Birtch of Powassan, preached a sermon which was greatly appreciated. After the Service many who had brought

their wives enjoyed an hour of fellowship in the basement room of the Masonic Temple.

I presented several 50 Year Buttons and congratulated those who had reached this milestone. Likewise, the passing of Wor. Bro. E. Cook of Algonquin Lodge, Emsdale, while in office, and the great loss of Rt. Wor. Bro. John Jackson of Gravenhurst were saddening. These events, coupled with the witnessing of the initiation of many new Masons who will be the leaders of the future, bring to mind the words of the great poet, when he wrote, "The moving finger writes, and having writ, moves on—"

L. J. FROUD, D.D.G.M.

NIAGARA DISTRICT "A"

To have served Niagara "A" District, as representative of the Grand Master for the year 1969 and 1970, in addition to being an honour, has been most rewarding and a pleasant experience. My grateful and heartfelt thanks are first offered to the Past Masters and Officers of Seymour Lodge, No. 277, for their trust in nominating me, secondly to the District Past Masters for supporting their proposal, and finally to you Most Worshipful Bro. Foster, for confirming my election.

I was most ably assisted in my term by the following District Officers: W. Bro. S. W. Bunston, Secretary; W. Bro. Rev. Ronald J. Warren, Chaplain; W. Bro. John E. Critchley, Committee Chairman of Masonic Education; Bro. Harley Johnson, Blood Donors; and R. Wor. Bro. John C. Wismer, Masonic Benevolence. I deeply appreciated the friendly advice, loyalty and support so freely given by these devoted Brethren. I extend special thanks to W. Bro. Wallace Secord, who attended almost all of my meetings as a committee member of Masonic Education, in the absence through a serious illness of W. Bro. Critchley the Chairman.

Early in my term the District Masters, with their Senior Wardens, met with me. Plans for the year were discussed; instruction regarding ritual was given; the planning and organization of lodge meetings were reviewed. All the lodges were officially visited at least once, and at other times for special occasions such as Installations, presentations, Divine Services and Ladies' Nights.

I am happy to report that the ritual work is uniform in the District and is well done in most lodges. Without exception the recently authorized changes are being adhered to. Some minor discrepancies were brought to the attention of Masters for correction; their agreement was received. The use of first names appears to be creeping into lodges while at work. This has been discouraged as far as possible, but should be further considered by Grand Lodge if deemed necessary.

It would appear that the decline in membership has been reversed, and should show up in statistics for the 1970 calendar year. It is particularly noticeable in the reports from outlying lodges. The decline pattern in the urban lodges follows closely the suspensions, except in two instances where no change is reported. Grantham, No. 697, the youngest urban lodge shows a net gain. Much the same pattern is observed regarding attendance. Better average attendance per member on the roll is usually found in rural lodges and those lodges with small memberships, than those in the urban lodges with large memberships. In accordance with the Grand Master's recommendations, I frequently stressed that personal contact should be made where possible, before suspension procedure is taken for N.P.D.

All lodges have some form of Masonic Education. R.W. Bro. A. Hammond of Adanac Lodge, has shown his slides on Masonic subjects at several District Lodges, and has been well received. St. Andrew's Lodge, under the direction of W. Bro. Lawther, has instituted a program of study on the Constitution. The Masters' and Wardens' Association, newly formed last year, has commenced to function actively. They are indebted to R.W. Bro. Ivor Davies, who addressed a large group of District Masons in St. Catharines during the year.

A District Divine Service, was held in Grantham United Church on April 26. The District Chaplain gave an inspiring message to about 200 Masons and their wives on that occasion.

The highlight of the year, was on May 15, when Mountain Lodge, No. 221, celebrated its Centennial with a banquet and reception for M.W. Bro. Bruce Foster who was guest speaker. I am sure his message, given that evening, will long be remembered by those who were privileged to hear it. Congratulations to Mountain Lodge, which is the sixth District Lodge to attain Centennial distinction.

In concluding, I once again thank all who have contributed to an experience not soon to be forgotten. May the same loyal support, courtesy and co-operation given me, be extended to my successor.

B. E. SCHAAB, D.D.G.M.

NIAGARA DISTRICT "B"

The privilege of serving as District Deputy Grand Master in this District has been an enjoyable and rewarding experience which will remain long in my memory. I am grateful to all brethren who, in any way, provided me with the opportunity.

It was an inauspicious beginning, late last August, to have to attend a Funeral Service for Wor. Bro. C. E. Griffin of Merritt

Lodge, No. 168, who had accepted the appointment of District Supervisor of Masonic Education. Until a successor had been named by the Lodge, Wor. Bro. J. A. Noble of Phoenix Lodge, No. 535, took on the responsibility and to him I extend my appreciation.

The District Staff was composed of Wor. Bro. J. L. Grierson, Secretary, Wor. Bro. G. K. Brown, Masonic Education Supervisor, Wor. Bro. R. C. Wheeler, Chairman of Blood Donor Committee, together with Rt. Wor. Bro. V. R. Hall who performed the duties of Supervisor of Benevolence, a new post requested by Grand Lodge. As Chaplain, Bro. Canon G. N. Standish, although unable to attend all of the Official Visits, rendered the moral support so vital to the success of the year. The assistance and co-operation of these brethren considerably lightened what at first appeared to be a formidable task.

The courtesy, dignity and friendliness which have been displayed in each Lodge is indicative of the high regard held for the office of District Deputy Grand Master. In quality and sincerity the brethren have shown their attention to the degree work and, in all cases, the penalty revisions are well established. Several minor variations, apparently in use for many years, can hardly be classed as recent innovations and, therefore, might be considered as "non-conforming usage."

Yearly operating losses indicated in financial statements may be attributed, no doubt, to reported arrears in dues. In spite of the foregoing, the assets of most Lodges are sizeable and, for that reason, I would have to say that there does not appear to be any financial difficulty. Among the various assets, of course, are the lodge buildings, most of which are in excellent state of maintenance. Plans are afoot to improve the refreshment area in one Temple, while in Niagara Falls, discussions are proceeding with the view in mind to house all Masonic bodies under one roof. This is a very ambitious scheme, one which will require a great deal of caution and judicious planning over a period of years.

Niagara District "B" was favoured by visits from three Grand Lodge Officers. In October, Rt. Wor. Bro. Bruce M. McCall, spoke at a meeting of the Masonic Masters' and Wardens' Association. The Deputy Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. W. K. Bailey, late in March, gave a thought-provoking presentation on Masonic Education to a group of the Senior and Junior Wardens. A fraternal visit was made to Fort Erie Lodge, No. 613, on April 21st by the Grand Senior Warden, Rt. Wor. Bro. G. Ivor Davies. Whether by invitation or otherwise, the presence of Senior Officers creates great interest and accomplishes much for the advancement of the Craft.

Divine Services were held in all areas. A fine Spring afternoon, April 12th, enabled many brethren, with their families, to be present at the District Service at St. John the Evangelist

Church, Niagara Falls. Members of the church choir sacrificed what might have been a free hour to assist the District Chaplain who conducted the Service.

On behalf of Mrs. Lowe, I must once again thank the various Lodges for the thoughtfulness and gracious hospitality in connection with the Ladies' Nights to which she was invited.

In closing, I hope that my contribution to Masonry may, in some small way, reflect the confidence of the members of Niagara District "B" when they presented me with the mandate of this important office.

W. A. H. LOWE, D.D.G.M.

NIPISSING EAST DISTRICT

During the visitation to each Lodge in the District I thanked the Officers and members for their support in electing me to the office of District Deputy. At this time I would like to put it on record and again thank them for their co-operation. A special thanks should go to Nipissing Lodge, No. 420, for my nomination, to this, the highest position in Masonry that they could give me.

My first duty was to appoint officers who would do a good job in their respective offices and I must say my appointments were readily accepted by such brethren as Wor. Bro. R. J. Sayer, who acted as District Secretary and carried out his duties admirably, as did the other officers of the various committees. I was pleased to have an ordained minister as District Chaplain in the person of Wor. Bro. A. C. Young, who will conduct our District Divine Service.

I was received in each of the Lodges with the honours and fraternal friendship befitting to the representative of the Grand Master. A degree was conferred and every Lodge conformed with the ritual as laid down by Grand Lodge. Mattawa Lodge, with a number of their members, visited Espanola Lodge, the mother Lodge of the Master of Mattawa Lodge. In Sturgeon Falls, I had the honour of presenting the Immediate Past Master with his Past Masters' Jewel.

One recommendation I would like to submit is that Haileybury Lodge, No. 485, unite with Cobalt Lodge, No. 486, because of its geographical position and the scarcity of population in the area. Haileybury Lodge, at the present time, is definitely restricted in enlarging its membership. Haileybury is bound by New Liskeard on the north, Cobalt on the south, on the east is the lake and on the west is the Indian Reserve. Both Lodges are using the same building in Haileybury and a uniting of the two Lodges would put them in a better financial situation as well as allowing them to grow.

On May 2nd, William Farr Lodge, No. 672, from Girard, Ohio, paid a fraternal visit to Nipissing Lodge, No. 420, and exemplified the Third Degree which was witnessed by brethren from as far away as Cochrane, over two hundred miles distant. In turn Nipissing Lodge conferred the Third Degree on one of their own members to show the difference between the ritual as portrayed in the two Grand Jurisdictions.

During the year I attended two very enjoyable social events. In the fall North Bay Lodge, No. 617, had its Ladies' Night and, in the early spring, Nipissing Lodge combined with the North Bay Lodge for their joint annual Ladies' Night. Both events were well-attended and were thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The high-light of my year as District Deputy was when the Awards Committee saw fit to award the William Mercer Wilson Medal to a very worthy Brother of my Lodge, Bro. Robert King. Bro. King is a dedicated and true Mason who really gives of himself and expects nothing in return, a perfect example for the younger brethren to emulate.

HARRY A. MARSHALL, D.D.G.M.

NIPISSING WEST DISTRICT

My sincere thanks and appreciation to the brethren of Algoma Lodge for nominating me for this high office, to Past Masters' Association, Past District Deputy Grand Masters and others who gave me encouragement and strongly supported my actual election, to yourself, Most Worshipful Sir, for confirming that election, to various Grand Lodge Officers for congratulations, instruction and advice, to Wor. Bro. Gren Whalen for assuming the responsibilities of District Secretary, Bro. Rev. Alex Rapson, District Chaplain, to Rt. Wor. Bro. Frank Pearse, District Chairman Masonic Education, to Wor. Bro. Gordon Smith, Chairman of Benevolence, to Bro. Clifford Sharp, Chairman of Blood Donor Service.

My early apprehensions were dispelled on the initial visit to Hatherly Lodge. Thereafter, finding everyone similarly friendly and receptive, I enjoyed all meetings. It has been a wonderful year; the effort of preparation and travel was more than repaid by the accumulated wealth of friendships and Masonic education. Fortunately, all phases of lodge work were presented in the course of visitations, including all degrees, general business, election of officers, and installation ceremonies. With few sporadic exceptions of minor nature, all work was of high calibre, in some instances of surpassing excellence. In two lodges only was it necessary to exemplify degrees for lack of candidates.

All lodges are financially sound; only a few smaller ones are lacking substantial cash reserves. Lodge records throughout are

well posted, and the Secretaries and Treasurers are to be commended. Temple buildings and rented lodge quarters, are in good repair and are well maintained. All lodge rooms are adequately and comfortably furnished.

Highlights of visits included five "Father and Son Nights", presentation of Fifty Year Buttons to Algoma members, a special "Finnish Night" in Algonquin Lodge, a fraternal visit to Espanola Lodge coinciding with a visitation there by Mattawa Lodge.

In addition to local Church Parades, there were two outstanding regional Divine Services, namely in the Church of the Epiphany Sudbury, with Most Wor. Bro. Archbishop Wright, and in John Wesley United Church in the Sault, with Bro. Rev. Alex Rapson. Both were well attended, the sermons inspiring, and there was much good fellowship.

Because of travelling distances, only one invitation to a Masonic party was accepted by Mrs. Niemi and myself and friends, a gala event in Sudbury which was enjoyed by 450 guests.

I regret not being able to report that Masonry is actually flourishing throughout the District, despite the financial and physical soundness of lodges, and the resurgence of applications for membership. The true spirit of Masonry seems somehow to be lacking in places; lodge attendance is below average; there appears to be little interest even in special events; no one seems willing to volunteer for committees, the same few doing most of the work; annual suspensions and dimits are not lessening. Responsible brethren are now looking into the matter closely, and solutions should be forthcoming.

I concur with the findings of my predecessor and others that Nipissing West District is too expansive and should be divided into two, comprising nine and eight lodges respectively. Presently about five thousand miles travel is necessary for Official Visits alone, and a D.D.G.M. who is not retired from work, cannot conveniently find time for extra fraternal and social visits. The advantages of division are manifold; more visits to each lodge; less absence from home; reduced travelling costs; and above all, opportunity for twice as many qualified Past Masters to achieve Grand Lodge rank, greatly needed in this area. Subject to complete approval, this recommendation will be submitted through regular channels to Grand Lodge.

The passing of two eminent Past District Deputy Grand Masters, Rt. Wor. Bros. Alex Brechin and Percy Sparling, is deeply regretted as Keystone Lodge, Nipissing West and Masonry at large suffered a great loss.

Thanks again, brethren. The Great Architect willing, I shall continue to work with you in matters of mutual interest and concern.

FRED W. NIEMI, D.D.G.M.

NORTH HURON DISTRICT

This has been a most interesting and educational year. As the representative of the Grand Master I trust that I have been worthy of that privilege and capable of meeting the obligations incurred.

Wor. Bro. Shobbrook has been a very efficient and helpful Secretary. Wor. Bro. Saundercock acted as Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. Philp as Chairman of Benevolence, Rt. Wor. Bro. Hastings as Chairman of Masonic Education, and Rt. Wor. Bro. Krauter as Chairman of Blood Donors.

The twelve Lodges in North Huron District were visited at least once in the year and the reception given and the fellowship shown at each, very effectively demonstrated the true Masonic spirit. The work, in all cases, was performed in a sincere and dedicated manner and the rendition of the ritual showed that time and effort had been spent in this direction. From all indications there are enough candidates to provide an active year for most Lodges in North Huron. The calibre and average age of these new members portends a long and useful life in Masonry. There is presently a predominance of the younger age group in North Huron Lodges.

But we have our faithful older members too. During the year it has been a privilege and honor to present several Fifty-Year Buttons. These men are living proof of the value of Free Masonry. My first visit in September was to my Mother Lodge, which in 1969 was fifty years old, to present a Fifty-Year Button to the first member initiated therein. He is Bro. F. Brown, now living in Northern Ontario.

Although the work has been well done and the Masonic spirit of brotherly love is quite evident, on my visits I endeavored to impress on the brethren the possibility and value of improvement, both as a Mason and as a citizen of the world.

Mrs. Vincent and I were guests at several Ladies' Nights. We are grateful for this hospitality. In South Huron I had the pleasure of being present at a reception for the Grand Master on the occasion of the Hensall Centennial.

Our District Divine Service was held in Londesboro United Church on May 17th, and was well attended. Rev. Heckendorn gave a fine message.

The Secretaries of all Lodges are to be commended on their co-operation with Wor. Bro. Shobbrook as District Secretary.

My appreciation goes to all Grand Lodge Officers for their kindly and helpful approach and especially to M. Wor. Bro. H. L. Martyn and M. Wor. Bro. E. G. Dixon, and my respect to our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Foster.

CLARE VINCENT, D.D.G.M.

ONTARIO DISTRICT

To have been able to serve as D.D.G.M. of Ontario District has been an honour and a privilege beyond my ability to express. It was a rich and enlightening experience and one which has strengthened my faith in Masonry and my optimism for its future.

The District officers, W. Bro. Keith Billett, District Secretary, W. Bro. Robert Henry, District Chaplain, W. Bro. Ian Hovey, Chairman of Masonic Education, W. Bro. Barry Cowling, Chairman of Blood Donors, and W. Bro. Clare Allin, Chairman of Benevolence, were always there when needed. I cannot speak too highly of their co-operation.

The Official Visits were all made and numerous other meetings were attended, at all of which the reception was most gratifying, and speaks well of the attitude of Masons towards Grand Lodge in Ontario District. Most of the work was of a high calibre, the Masters and officers generally showing a profound interest in perfection, though realizing it is a difficult goal. This attitude also applies to the Secretaries, as the books proved when checked by the District Secretary.

We were fortunate at our District Church Service on April 26 to have our Grand Chaplain, R.W. Bro. Rev. Marshall S. Jess, as our speaker. It was a great Service and the losers were those who failed to attend. I also attended some of the Lodge Church Services, which, though not too well attended, are an important link between Masonry and the Church.

Several 50 year members were presented with their diplomas and pins. I was privileged to take part in five of them, all from the same lodge, Lebanon, No. 139.

Most of the lodges held Ladies' Nights, and my wife and I appreciated spending some of these evenings with the members and their wives. I wish to express our sincere thanks to the lodges concerned for this pleasure.

The annual Masters', Senior Wardens', and Junior Wardens' Nights were held in various lodges, and we were privileged to have our Grand Senior Warden and Grand Junior Warden officiate at these functions.

On two occasions our Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Wm. K. Bailey was our guest speaker, and those who were fortunate to hear him were both pleased and confident regarding the future of Masonry.

Our year's highlight was the Grand Master's Reception held at Port Hope on April 11th, and those of us who were there, heard a great address from M.W. Bro. B. B. Foster, who proved

a good speaker and a most gracious guest. The Port Hope brethren did a wonderful job in decorating, and the numerous other tasks so essential to an event of this nature. They deserve our sincere thanks.

Unfortunately, during the year we lost R.W. Bro. Linton of Orono Lodge No. 325, and V.W. Bro. A. Penfound of Cedar Lodge, No. 270. We cherish their memory in our hearts.

Before closing, I would like to say that I think Masonry is in good hands in Ontario District; that the Masters are both capable and conscientious; and the Past Masters are knowledgeable and anxious to help. As a District Deputy I would like to express my thanks to all the Past Masters, Masters, Officers and members for having made this year an outstanding year in my Masonry. It has brought to me a rebirth of faith and confidence in my fellowman.

ARNOLD B. LOBB, D.D.G.M.

OTTAWA DISTRICT

It has been my pleasure to have served as District Deputy Grand Master during this very historic year in the Ottawa Masonic District. This is the first year we have had thirty lodges in the district, and the last year that the Ottawa Valley is to be covered by one D.D.G.M. Effective in the month of July of this year, 1970, two D.D.G.M.'s will be elected, and the area will be known as Ottawa District No. 1, and Ottawa District No. 2.

One of the first functions over which it was my pleasure to preside was the Institution of a new lodge to be known as Bytown Lodge. This new lodge was formed with Rt. Wor. Bro. C. C. Lillico, Past D.D.G.M., as the first Worshipful Master. Under his guidance this lodge is very active, and should be an asset to Masonry in general.

Madawaska Lodge, No. 196, Arnprior, completed their new Temple and the Dedication was presided over by our Deputy Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. W. K. Bailey, on May 9th, 1970. This is a very impressive ceremony and not one that many of us have the privilege of taking part in. The brethren of Arnprior are to be commended for their efforts in the completion of this Temple, which will be a credit to the community as well as to the Craft.

During the year there were four lodges which celebrated their fiftieth anniversary. They were Sidney Albert Luke, No. 558, St. Andrew's, No. 560, Acacia, No. 561, and Ashlar, No. 564. Each of these lodges had an excellent programme and paid tribute to their older members.

The District Church Service this year was held at Southminster United Church under the capable leadership of our District Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. Wm. B. Perry, and capably assisted by Rt. Wor. Bro. J. O'Donovan and Bro. Howard Warner. There was a complete Masonic Choir in attendance and this added considerably to the Masonic atmosphere of the function.

The duties and responsibilities of my office were made much easier by the capable and willing assistance of the district staff, comprising Wor. Bro. W. J. Guigue, District Secretary, Wor. Bro. Ken Nesbitt, Chairman of Masonic Education, Rt. Wor. Bro. Wm. B. Perry, District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Alf Pell, Chairman of the Blood Donors, and Wor. Bro. Lorne Hooper, Chairman of Benevolence. To these and many others I extend my sincere thanks for their co-operation and dedication to their respective duties. I would particularly like to express my appreciation to Rt. Wor. Bro. E. J. Jackson for kindly taking over my duties for one week while I was out of the country on business, and to Wor. Bro. J. C. Hilson who accompanied me on two visits because of the illness of my District Secretary.

It was with deep regret that I learned of the fire that destroyed the Temple at Deep River on Saturday, May 16th. That Temple will have pleasant memories for me as it was there I paid my last Official Visit, and it was the last Official Visit of a D.D.G.M. in the one large Ottawa District.

Mrs. Rowsome and I, accompanied by Wor. Bro. and Mrs. Guigue, attended 29 of the 30 Ladies' Nights in the District and one in the Ottawa District, Province of Quebec. We were very well received at all these functions, and extend our appreciation to all the lodges for their kind invitations.

It was my pleasure to be asked to present several Fifty Year Buttons to Masonic brethren. It is gratifying to see the enthusiasm for Masonry shown by these brethren who have spent a lifetime in service to the Craft.

Masonry throughout the District is of a very good calibre. I think that all the degrees conferred on my Official Visits would leave a lasting impression on the candidates. For the most part the degrees are being conferred according to the standards laid down by M. Wor. Bro. H. L. Martyn. It was encouraging also to see the calibre of candidates that were being received into the lodges. Attendance generally seemed to be slightly better and, according to the returns submitted by the lodges, any loss in membership in the district should be considerably smaller than in recent years.

Finally, I wish to express to the brethren of the District my thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me. I have enlarged

my Masonic acquaintances and have derived much profit and pleasure from my Masonic contacts. I hope the District has benefited half as much as I.

W. R. ROWSOME, D.D.G.M.

PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT

I have deeply appreciated the honour and privilege of serving as D.D.G.M. and I wish to thank all the brethren who in any way made it possible.

During the year I have found, without exception, the work in all twelve lodges very good indeed. Great credit is due to the officers and Past Masters who provide leadership in their several lodges.

My first unofficial visit was to J. B. Hall Lodge, No. 145, Millbrook, to present, on behalf of the Grand Master, a 60 Year Button to Bro. Albert Russel Payne. It was a joy to see the pleasure that this well-deserved honour gave to this faithful veteran of the Craft. In addition the following brethren received 50 Year Buttons this year, Stanley Scott, Cecil Fulford, Max Swanston, Arnold McWilliams, Robert Lovell, George Berry and Reginald Fallis.

I am very grateful for the assistance given by my district officers. I am deeply indebted to W. Bro. David Grant, the District Secretary, who so ably assisted me on all occasions and faithfully fulfilled the duties of his important office. W. Bro. Albert Thompson deserves much credit for his work as Chairman of the District Blood Donors' Committee. His service over four years in this work has provided continuity that has paid off in an increasing interest by the brethren. His timely reports at every Official Visit have been a real challenge to the brethren to keep up the good work that has brought commendation to our district in other years. W. Bro. Evan McIlraith has given excellent service as Chairman of Masonic Education. He has prepared material for use in the lodges and has been helpful in organizing a District Masonic Education Committee.

Rev. Bro. Gordon C. Smyth, B.A., District Chaplain, at a well-attended District Divine Service in St. Andrews United Church took as the subject of his sermon, "The Spirit of Masonry". The lessons at this Service were read by R.W. Bro. Walter Mortlock and W. Bro. David Grant.

R.W. Bro. C. S. Browne, Chairman of the newly created Committee on Benevolence has always been available to give advice on any aspect of this important work.

This year Norwood Lodge, No. 223, is celebrating its centenary with special programs each month. On February 9th, the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, was present there when a degree team of Past and Present Grand Lodge officers of the district exemplified the First Degree. R.W. Bro. Bailey's inspiring address at the banquet will long be remembered by those present. The pinnacle of these celebrations will be reached on October 3rd with a visit from our Grand Master, M. Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster.

I have been especially pleased with the travelling square which was instituted by my predecessors. It has kept faithfully on its schedule and cannot help but be of benefit to the District Lodges in promoting inter-lodge visitations.

Under the guidance of R.W. Bro. Leo Copp, a Masonic library, located in the Peterborough Temple, is available to the brethren but I feel more use of the available material could be made. The district sustained a great loss in the recent death of R.W. Bro. Ross Dobbin.

To I.P.D.D.G.M. Roy Brown and R.W. Bro. Walter Mortlock, who so willingly came to my assistance when I was hospitalized late in the spring, go my heartfelt thanks. I shall always remember their kindness.

Mrs. Crawford and I appreciate the invitations we received to attend various Ladies' Nights and regret we were unable to attend them all.

I am most grateful for the kindness shown me on my Official Visits and special thanks go to so many of my brethren who journeyed many miles to be with me on these Visits.

Finally, may I close with this poem put out by the Grand Lodge Committee on Masonic Education and which typifies to me Masonry at its best.

Wouldn't this old world be better
If the folks we met would say
"I know something good about you,"
And then treat us just that way?

Wouldn't it be fine and dandy
If each handclasp warm and true
Carried with it this assurance
I know something good about you?

Wouldn't it be more pleasant
If the good that's in us all
Were the only things about us
That folks bothered to recall?

Wouldn't it be nice to practise
This fine way of thinking too
You know something good about me
I know something good about you.

DONALD T. CRAWFORD, D.D.G.M.

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT

It has been a great honour, a privilege and a rewarding experience to have served as District Deputy Grand Master of Prince Edward District. I wish to thank Madoc Lodge, No. 48, for the nomination, the brethren of the District for electing me, and the Most Worshipful the Grand Master for confirming my election.

One of my duties was a meeting with the Masters and Wardens of the district approving dates for Official Visits where I spoke briefly about ritual and instructions I had received from Grand Lodge. These were well received, discussed and, I am happy to report, were well acted upon in all lodges.

During the year I visited every lodge in the district and many of them on several occasions, where I was always received with warmth and affection. The meetings were well-attended and the work was done with confidence and dignity. The officers are young and aggressive and take an active part in the ritual work, and all the lodges are ably supported by their Past Masters. It was my pleasure in several lodges to present Long Service Buttons to a number of Masonic Brethren, who had contributed much to their lodges in the past. It was also my pleasure to attend several Masonic functions outside the district, namely receptions for the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Centennial anniversaries and Official Visits of neighbouring District Deputy Grand Masters. I enjoyed very much the true Masonic fellowship that prevailed at these visits.

The Prince Edward District Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association was very active during the year. Through their efforts inter-lodge visits were arranged and were well supported. At each meeting short talks on Masonic education were given which proved rewarding. The degree work was of the highest calibre, which tends to encourage Masonry and added to the enjoyment of the evenings.

The District Divine Service was held in St. John the Baptist Anglican Church, Madoc, on May 10th. The Church was filled to capacity and the Minister in charge welcomed the Masons, in particular, mentioning the many ways this Church has been connected with Masonry at its dedication over a century ago and many times since. We were honoured to have Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. Marshall S. Jess, the Grand Chaplain, as our guest speaker. He

delivered an inspiring and challenging message, taking for his text "Be Humble and Remember". I am sure it was much appreciated and much digested by those fortunate enough to hear him.

Mrs. Lloyd and I enjoyed attending several Ladies' Nights and we thank the brethren and their ladies for their kind hospitality and thoughtfulness. I believe these affairs offer many benefits to the Craft and add to the fellowship and understanding of the brethren, their wives and families. On May 23rd the District Past Masters, Masters and Wardens held the Annual Ladies' Night in Deseronto. It was one of the largest since its formation. A well arranged programme added greatly to the evening.

In conclusion, I again express my thanks and appreciation and say Masonry as I see it in our District is very progressive. I trust I have merited the confidence placed in me as much as I have enjoyed being your District Deputy Grand Master.

THOMAS C. LLOYD, D.D.G.M.

SARNIA DISTRICT

Before presenting my report I wish to thank the members of Sarnia District, most sincerely, for the honour which was extended to Victoria Lodge, No. 56, at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge and for the expression of confidence placed in me, in electing me to this high office. I am also very grateful to the Grand Master, M. Wor. Bro. Bruce Foster, for confirming this election.

The work of my office was made much easier by the support and co-operation I received from my Secretary, Wor. Bro. John A. Rose, of Victoria Lodge, No. 56. I consider myself very fortunate to have had one who performed his duties so capably, and of so amiable a personality. With his love and devotion for the Craft he made his services invaluable.

The following brethren graciously accepted my appointments and assisted greatly with the work throughout the District during the past year, V. Wor. Bro. Harold S. Barnes, Chairman of Masonic Education, Rt. Wor. Bro. Leslie J. Crooks, Chairman of Benevolence, Wor. Bro. Robert A. Campbell, Chairman of Blood Donors, all of Victoria Lodge, Bro. Rev. Harry C. Benson, District Chaplain, of Liberty Lodge 419.

After the fine educational instruction for D.D.G.M.'s held in London in July, under the capable leadership of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Rt. Wor. Bro. Keith Hart had a dinner in Wyoming in September where these instructions were passed on to the Masters of the District.

I have visited each Lodge in the District at least once and found the brethren well-skilled in their work. The ritualistic work has been good. All buildings appear to be in good condition and well looked after. I found no Lodge in the red. Most Lodges have recently reviewed their dues structure. It has been recommended to all Lodges in the District that all lodge records be kept in a safe place, keeping in mind that, if destroyed by fire, these records couldn't be replaced. The District was well organized when I took over and much credit for this must go to the strength and leadership of the Past Masters and Masters.

In January Victoria Lodge held a Lodge of Instruction under the leadership of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn where he instructed in the First, Second and Third Degrees and Installed Master Degree. This was attended by eight (8) D.D.G.M.s from neighbouring Districts, and more than 175 brethren attended.

I presented several 50 Year Lapel Buttons at special nights during the year. A memorable night in Masonry was held by Liberty Lodge, No. 419, in celebrating their 75th Anniversary. Attending this function were six (6) of the original charter members.

The District Divine Service was held Sunday, June 7th, 1970, at 7:30 p.m. at Devine Street United Church. Many brethren and their wives attended this Service. Bro. Rev. Harry C. Benson was in charge of the Service. A social hour was held afterwards in the Christian Education Building of the Church.

Before I conclude, I would like to thank, on behalf of my wife and myself, all Lodges for their invitations we received for Ladies' Nights. We enjoyed these greatly and the hospitality was wonderful.

In closing, I would like to say, Most Worshipful Sir, that it has been a pleasure to represent you and Sarnia District. I hope that the same kind courtesies will be extended to my successor as have been extended to me.

JOHN H. WATSON, D.D.G.M.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT

As I look back over the past year, I do so with a feeling of thankfulness, thankful for the knowledge and experience which I have gained. But at the same time I question my ability to show a true sense of appreciation to the Spirit of Masonry which, in this troubled world, so many brethren have proved to me still does exist. At this time, I can only say thank you, first, to the brethren of my Mother Lodge, St. James, No. 74, for allowing me to represent them in this high and honourable position. To the brethren of the St. Lawrence District, I also wish to express my

appreciation for the manner in which you respected the wishes of the brethren of my Mother Lodge by electing me and submitting my name to our Grand Master as your choice of the one you wished to represent you as the District Deputy Grand Master.

I wish also to extend my thanks and feelings of appreciation to Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. B. B. Foster, for the manner in which he respected the judgment of the brethren in our District.

As the end of our Masonic Year is rapidly drawing nearer, many brethren ask that age old question, "Has Masonry made any advancement during my term of office?" I do not wish to try to answer that question as only time itself will give us a true answer. But I do know that, without the assistance of my Secretary, my Chaplain, the Chairmen of the several District Committees, and the assistance and guidance, so freely given by the Past and Present Grand Lodge Officers, my term of office would have been only another uneventful year of my life. I can only say, "Thank you, brethren." These brethren have proved to me that the Fraternal Order of Masonry is still needed, and it could and would assist in bringing peace and harmony into this troubled world, if only all Masons would remember their obligations and conduct themselves accordingly.

My Secretary—Wor. Bro. William H. Ferguson, accompanied me on all of my Official Visits and as many other times as it was possible for him to do so. The manner in which he performed his duties I will always remember and appreciate, as it left me free to mingle with the brethren, at which time I was able to get a better picture of the condition of Masonry in our District.

Many of our Brethren did not know, that our District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. John Salmon, did not enjoy the best of health this past year. This, however, did not stop him from carrying out his duties. He always found the time to discuss my problems with him.

I found Wor. Bro. C. A. Bailey, District Chairman of Masonic Education, well versed in Masonry and fully acquainted with the duties of his office. He proved this by the manner in which he outlined the program for the District School of Instruction which was conducted under the able guidance of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn. The many articles which Bro Bailey wrote and distributed to the lodges of our District were a great help and a good source of information.

Once more Wor. Bro. Thompson, District Chairman of Blood Donors, showed his ability in the manner in which he led us. I must say that he did not get the full support from the brethren of our District. Without this support he cannot submit a report to Grand Lodge of which we can be justly proud.

I consider myself very fortunate in having Very Wor. Bro. Elliott as the Chairman of this new Committee of Benevolence.

He has not only taken a keen interest in his duties but he took advantage of every opportunity to make the various lodges acquainted with Benevolence about which he gave several talks.

In reviewing the condition of Masonry in this District I find that it is still working on a solid foundation. Each lodge has a nucleus of dedicated brethren who are keeping the principles and doctrines of our Order alive and active. The majority of our officers are young brethren, who are showing good ability and a keen interest in their work. We must be constantly guarding against the tendency of many people to shirk their duties and responsibilities. If this manner of living becomes prevalent in our Masonic Order, Masonry will no longer be the age-old Fraternal Order to which responsible people turned for guidance and support.

ROBERT BYERS, D.D.G.M.

ST. THOMAS DISTRICT

It has been a privilege, as well as an honour, for me to have been the representative of the Grand Master in St. Thomas District for the Masonic Year, 1969-1970. I wish to especially thank the brethren of Malahide Lodge, No. 140, for nominating me to this high office, to the rest of the Lodges of the St. Thomas District for their support, and to the Most Worshipful, The Grand Master, for confirming their choice.

My duties and responsibilities were made easier and much more enjoyable by the co-operation and assistance of my District Officers in the persons of Wor. Bro. Eric Teeple, District Secretary, who performed his duties in an efficient and kindly manner and submitted a complete report on each official visit, Wor. Bro. Roy Sinden, Supervisor of Masonic Education, who gave interesting and instructive talks, Brother (Rev.) J. Allan Logan, Minister of St. Paul's United Church, Aylmer, who performed the duties of District Chaplain in an inspirational manner and stressed the spiritual fundamentals of Free Masonry, Wor. Bro. Donald Fick, Chairman of the Blood Donors who kept this very worthy cause before the brethren at every opportunity. The increase in District Donations is evidence of the effort put forth in this cause; Right Worshipful Brother Jas. Gillick, District Chairman of Benevolence.

I officially visited the eleven Lodges of the District and, on these and other fraternal visits to Lodges in surrounding Districts, was received with the courtesy and dignity that befits the representative of the Grand Master.

The Masters and Officers of District Lodges are to be commended for the excellent manner in which business was conducted and degrees were conferred. Masonic Education was a part of the meetings of all eleven Lodges at various times during the year.

In my opinion, Masonry is in capable and efficient hands, which speaks well for the future of our Order in the St. Thomas District.

Highlights of the year were:

A visit to St. Thomas Lodge, No. 44, when I presented seven Fifty-Year Lapel Buttons.

The official visit to my Mother Lodge, Malahide, No. 140, where I was accompanied by six District Deputies in the persons of Claire Swain, Wilson District, Chas. Hay of South Huron, Jack Watson of Sarnia, Roy C. Hurst of London West, Norman Lansdell of London East, and Eugene Haydon of Windsor District. Thirty-five Past Grand Lodge Officers were present and one hundred and forty signed the register.

Talbot Lodge, No. 546, St. Thomas, held a special evening to honour Very Wor. Bro. Jack Ferguson on his appointment as Grand Steward. It was one of the best attended and most outstanding meetings of the District.

During the year I have had the pleasure of attending several receptions for the Grand Master and of visiting a number of neighbouring Districts. Several neighbouring District Deputy Grand Masters have been present at some of my Official Visits.

Mrs. Wright and I attended several Ladies' Nights which we greatly enjoyed.

Our District Divine Service, efficiently convened by Wor. Bro. Hugh Fackrell, General Chairman, was held at Pinafore Park, St. Thomas, on Sunday, May 31st at 7:30 a.m. It added an inspiring conclusion to what could be considered a happy and successful term of office. Forty-five brethren formed our choir and our Chaplain, Brother (Rev.) Allan Logan gave an inspiring address "The Importance of Being Someone" to a congregation of over five hundred. Following the Service, breakfast was served by the district brethren.

It is my hope that, during my term of office, I have been able to contribute, in some small way, to the advancement of Masonry in the St. Thomas District.

JAMES B. WRIGHT, D.D.G.M.

SOUTH HURON DISTRICT

It is with the greatest sincerity that I say "thank you" to South Huron District for the honour you have bestowed upon me by electing me your District Deputy this year and to our Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster for confirming my election.

It would be very unjust on my part to single out any person or persons for their support and devotion to Masonry, as I feel we can be very proud of Masonry in South Huron District. The reception at my Official visits and the support of all lodges, and especially the neighbouring District Deputies, on all occasions were tremendous and the work was superb.

The only regret I have, and I am sure it is shared by active Masons in Ontario, is the number of members who have joined Masonry and do not attend or have not attended enough meetings to learn what Masonry really is. I have little doubt that we active Masons should and do feel some measure of guilt for our failure in not instilling in the heart of the newly made Mason the desire for more knowledge. Each and every one of us has a selling job to do on our newly initiated members and the successful salesman is the one that can make his client aware of his needs and create within him the desire to fulfil those needs. The world to-day so sorely needs all that Masonry has to offer that I would like to take this opportunity to urge every Mason to consider himself a salesman within the doors of our lodges and make the newly initiate aware of his need.

My year as District Deputy was first highlighted by a very successful Warden's Night in Maitland Lodge, Goderich, when our Grand Senior Warden, Rt. Wor. Bro. Ivor Davies assumed the Master's chair and at least one Warden from each lodge in the District took a part in the Second Degree. This was followed in October by a very informative and educational meeting under the most capable chairmanship of my predecessor, Rt. Wor. Bro. Arthur McLean.

It is customary to have four District meetings in South Huron in conjunction with or preceding the Past Masters Association meetings of which at this time we have had three, the fourth to be held on June 3 in Seaforth.

My home lodge, Huron Lodge, No. 224, had the honour of celebrating 100 years as a constituted lodge this year. This was done by an inter-fraternal visit with Huron-Bruce Lodge, Toronto, hosting the South Huron Past Masters' Ladies Night, on April 1, and finally by a banquet and reception when we were honoured by the presence of our Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster, who delivered a very inspiring message. Over thirty Grand Lodge officers made a full house with other officers and members. The celebration was climaxed with a very successful District Church Service on Sunday, May 3, when we were honoured to have our Grand Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. Marshall S. Jess, bring us a very inspiring sermon on "Be Humble and Remember".

It was at this point, May 5, that a most memorable year was interrupted by a gall bladder operation and a short bout with pneumonia leaving two Official Visits. I am happy to report that

all is well now and my official duties will be completed soon. I am, indeed, looking forward to Grand Lodge in July for a renewal of the many new friendships which this year has brought me.

It is my feeling and sincere hope that each and everyone of us, who has been privileged to share another year in Masonry realizes that we have only begun our job as there is so much Masonry can do to improve this world in the field of Friendship and Brotherly Love so that all people can share what you and I are so privileged to share.

To my District Secretary, Wor. Bro. W. J. F. Bell, and my District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Rev. Hugh C. Wilson, both of whom have had their share of misfortune and sickness in their homes in the last couple of months, I extend my special thanks for their most loyal and devoted support.

Perhaps what we sometimes call misfortune is for the good of all mankind as it makes us more aware of God, the Great Architect of the Universe, whose image and wishes we have so solemnly pledged ourselves to maintain and uphold as members of this great fraternity.

CHARLES D. HAY, D.D.G.M.

TEMISKAMING DISTRICT

This, without doubt, has been the most rewarding year of my thirty-five years of service to the Masonic Order. And one of the happiest times of the year, was the first month, when every mail seemed to bring a letter of congratulations from Masonic friends. Those letters and kind regards were very much appreciated.

Wor. Bro. C. E. Bailey performed the duties of District Secretary in a most able manner. Wor. Bro. R. B. Johnson was our District Chairman of Masonic Education. Wor. Bro. Wayne Nelson was Chairman of Blood Donors' Committee. District Chairman of Benevolence was Wor. Bro. M. Fingland and District Chaplain was Bro. Rev. A. C. Huston. I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all these brethren for their great co-operation throughout the year.

I feel that the Official Visits to the nine lodges were outstanding events. There was a good attendance at these meetings, with Masters, Past Masters and brethren doing their best work to try to impress the candidates with a sense of our Masonic greatness.

I was able to see degrees performed in seven lodges and exemplifications of degrees in the other two. I would congratulate all concerned on the work that was done and would urge all the brethren to keep up this high standard. Any part of Masonic

Ritual or Work performed well does surely bring its own reward in a sense of personal well being, both physically and spiritually and, in this day and age, this is important.

As our District is spread over many miles, I decided to have three District Church Services, at Kirkland Lake, Smooth Rock Falls, and South Porcupine. The District Service at St. Peter's Anglican Church, Kirkland Lake, was held on Harvest Festival Sunday. The sanctuary was decorated with flowers, fruits and vegetables of every kind and the church was full. It was a lovely sight. Doric Lodge was the "Host Lodge". Rev. Bro. Wm. Cook conducted the Service and gave an inspiring address.

Cochrane Lodge was the "Host Lodge" for the District Service at Smooth Rock Falls, which again was well attended by the three lodges in this area, with the District Chaplain. Rev. Bro. A. C. Huston, giving the address, on the theme of a "Message to Masons." Our third District Service was held in South Porcupine United Church on Sunday, 31st May.

It was indeed a great pleasure to be at Englehart Lodge and to welcome the Deputy Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. W. K. Bailey, on the 14th of November when the presentation of the Grand Superintendent of the Works Regalia was made to Very Wor. Bro. Ralph Redden, who had been appointed to this high office by the Grand Master last year by his brother, Rt. Wor. Bro. Karl H. Redden. I have attended several installations and meetings, "Burns" Nights, etc., and every one of them has been a happy occasion.

On my Official Visit to Spruce Falls Lodge it was indeed a proud privilege and a pleasure to present a Fifty Year Lapel Button to Bro. William Christie and to bring him warm greetings from Grand Lodge. This is Spruce Falls Lodge's first Fifty Year Button. Unfortunately Bro. Christie was not too well and was unable to attend lodge that evening. I made the presentation at his house, and had a nice chat with Mrs. Christie and him. Then I took the Button to show the members in lodge.

The Grand Senior Warden, Rt. Wor. Bro. G. Ivor Davies, visited Spruce Falls Lodge and Corinthian Lodge. I was pleased to be present on both these visits and enjoyed our distinguished visitor's remarks. The Grand Senior Warden assumed that chair in the Installation of Cochrane Lodge when Bro. Boyd Sims was installed by his uncle, Rt. Wor. Bro. Casselman and many of the Grand Lodge Officers on Saturday, 20th of June.

I am indeed sorry that Abitibi Lodge still has no lodge room to meet in. I understand there are two possibilities this summer. I just hope that this is so, and that this lodge can again meet in its own Temple in Iroquois Falls.

I feel that Masonry in the Temiskaming District is holding its own. Lodge attendance could be improved in some cases by Wor. Masters planning visitations and special meetings of all kinds in advance.

Like the brethren of my District I love my Masonry, but hate to see a loss in membership each year. I have tried, in all my Official Visits to do all I can to stop this decline, I do not know whether we can recover our lost membership and again have that prestige in society that membership in the Order should have, and can give greater service to humanity. Education, church and the world are changing so very fast that we need Grand Lodge help and leadership to preserve this beloved Order of ours.

EDWARD M. TAEGER, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "1"

It has been a most rewarding and memorable experience to have had the privilege of representing the Grand Master in Toronto District I. To all who made this possible, The General Mercer Lodge, No. 548, for their support, encouragement and nomination, the Masters, Past Masters and Wardens for electing me and to the Most Worshipful the Grand Master for confirming my appointment, my most sincere "Thank You."

It was my pleasure to visit each of the twenty lodges at least once and I was received warmly and in a most gracious manner. The conferring of the degree was, without exception, done in a sincere and dignified manner. It was an added pleasure to have the Worshipful Masters employ many of their members in the work. This, I believe, creates interest among the members and only from interest does lodge spirit and attendance grow.

W. Bro. M. H. Hastings, the District Secretary, was most diligent in carrying out his duties, which he did in his usual quiet and gracious manner. His reports carried high praise for the work of the Lodge Secretaries and Treasurers, and the excellent way in which all records and accounts are kept. The financial condition of the lodges range from good to excellent. I am indeed grateful to Wor. Bro. Hastings for his ever ready assistance and support.

The District Divine Service was held in St. Hildas Anglican Church under the direction of W. Bro. Rev. S. J. Maddock, District Chaplain. The Service was well attended by members and Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers. The sincere appreciation of the District is extended to W. Bro. Rev. Maddock for his inspiring message and also for the warmth and refreshing new approach he has given to us at the services for our departed brethren.

The District Committee on Masonic Education, under the guidance of W. Bro. H. Tomlinson, Chairman, and W. Bro. D. Reddie, Secretary, assisted by the Wardens, presented two interesting and thought-provoking programs. Much discussion has come from these meetings. In each case the lodge rooms were filled, attesting to the interest the brethren have in Masonic Education. The interesting address given at our April meeting by W. Bro. Rev. R. de Cornielle and the showing of his slides on the Holy Land were greatly appreciated by all present.

It is difficult to find words to adequately express my feelings and those of the District for the wonderful work that has been carried out by W. Bro. J. P. O'Sullivan and his committee on behalf of the Blood Donors. They have rendered an outstanding service, not only for Masonry, but for the community as a whole. The efforts of all who participated in the Blood Donors are recognized by Toronto District 1.

During the year I was pleased to present lapel pins in recognition of fifty years service in the Craft to many of our brethren. This was a most pleasant duty and afforded me an opportunity to express to our Senior Brethren how much we owe to them for the service they have rendered to Masonry. However, in connection with the Fifty Year Buttons a cloud appears. It is the expressed wish of many of our Brethren that Grand Lodge would return to the presentation of the Service Medal. I do hope that Grand Lodge will find that it can fulfil this fond wish of those who have served Masonry so faithfully over the years.

The District was pleased to record some special events this past year. Kilwinning Lodge, No. 565, and King Hiram Lodge, No. 566, both celebrated their 50th anniversary. Due to a commitment of long standing, I was unable to attend the celebration of Kilwinning Lodge's anniversary. R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey, D.G.M., was the speaker and his timely message was welcomed by those present. King Hiram Lodge's anniversary will be long remembered by the many brethren present. M.W. Bro. J. N. Allan and M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn were both present. An interesting history of the lodge was presented and a Service of Remembrance was conducted in memory of the brethren who had served in the half century. The choir from Speed Lodge, Guelph, entertained at the banquet hour. M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn introduced M.W. Bro. J. N. Allan who, in addressing the brethren, left many thoughts for their consideration. An inspiring service dedicating the new gold regalia of Ionic Lodge, No. 229, was conducted by M.W. Bro. Gunn on May 19, marking their 100 years of continual service.

A most memorable event took place on November 29, 1969, at the Hospital for Sick Children when Toronto District 1 was pleased to present the furnishings of a "Teen Lounge" in honour of M.W. Bro. Donald J. Gunn. A plaque commemorating this historic event was unveiled by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn. Our thanks go to R.W. Bro. A. E. Dyer, R.W. Bro. E. J. Langley, and V.W.

Bro. E. D. Madgett for their leadership and untiring efforts in the worthwhile and unique tribute to our Immediate Past Grand Master.

JAMES W. GERRARD, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "2"

My report on proceedings and the state of Masonry in Toronto District 2, is submitted for your consideration.

In regard to the "Visit to each Lodge", let me not presume on your indulgence by reporting on each one separately, but rather in generalization.

The "Work" of all Lodges has been noticeably good with few exceptions and this is due, in no small part, to the efficiency of most Worshipful Masters, their individual ability and that of their Officers and Members. The sincerity of all, in the performance of their duties has been conducive to good ritual being rendered and in the authorized manner.

The financial affairs of most Lodges are quite sound and it is sufficient to say that all Financial Committees are aware of their own particular situation and are implementing, where necessary, any corrective measures deemed advisable.

The attendance, as in the past years, leaves something to be desired. This problem is not new; all that one has to do is read the reports of Past District Deputy Grand Masters, as far back as one chooses to go, and it will be found that this was always an area for concern. Most Worshipful Masters are quite cognizant of this enigma and are endeavouring, by various means, to increase the attendance at all meetings.

In regard to the Masonic Education Programme for the District, certain papers presented in previous years were requested by several Lodges. These, along with a Lodge of Instruction based on the Third Degree, including many informative explanations and climaxed with a Masonic Conference held at Port Hope, Ontario, rounded out a most successful Masonic year. This Conference was, without a doubt, the most outstanding event of the year. The preliminary planning involved was immense in scope. The District Committee on Masonic Education met practically every two weeks from October until April, and the effort extended by these brethren was quite evident in the manner in which the Conference was conducted. The response by the District Lodges was tremendous. All of the 19 Lodges, except one, had a full quota of four delegates; the latter had two delegates, and this was due to the fact that this particular Lodge in question had another function scheduled for that day. The delegates themselves were enthused beyond expectation. They came well prepared to discuss

and listen to the particular subject in which they were to partake. The theme of the Conference was — "Changing Times — Its Challenge to Masonry", and was divided into four main sections: "Educational", "Social", "Organizational", and "Communications". For me to tabulate the findings of the various groups would be superfluous, as the results of the Conference have been published. Grand Lodge, through the office of the Chairman of the Committee on Masonic Education for Grand Lodge, will be sent a copy as well as all Lodges in the District and all delegates.

It would be safe to say, in summarization, that the state of Masonry in Toronto District 2, is vibrant and fluid, not stagnant and in the throes of decay. The Conference proved that we have many concerned Masons who are most anxious to further this "Masonic Way of Life" of ours.

An expression of thanks, from this office, has been made to all concerned at a District meeting held on May 29th, 1970. For the record, much is owed by myself and Toronto District 2 for the strength and support and the devotion to duty of the following brethren: W. Bro. Edward Denman who graciously accepted the appointment as District Secretary, R.W. Bro. Colin MacKenzie, along with V.W. Bro. J. Boak and W. Bro. T. Wells who formed the nucleus of the District Committee on Masonic Education, W. Bro. Walter Sills, District Chairman of Benevolence, W. Bro. J. W. Stacey for once again heading up the District Blood Donors' Committee and Bro. the Ven. T. A. Wilkinson, District Chaplain.

It has been a rewarding year, one in which it was a pleasure and an honour to represent the Grand Master and Grand Lodge.

WM. SCOTT, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "3"

It has been my pleasure to serve in the capacity of the representative of the Grand Master in Toronto District 3 during the year 1969 and 1970. I shall be ever grateful to the Grand Master, the brethren of Toronto District 3 and the Past Masters of Stevenson Lodge, No. 218, for their confidence in electing me as their representative and the confirmation by the Grand Master to fill this important office.

I would first like to thank R.W. Bro. Ivor Davies, Grand Senior Warden and R.W. Bro. Roland Burns, Grand Junior Warden for the many evenings in which I shared their company. These two distinguished brethren have added immensely to enhance Masonry. My first thoughts are of all the wonderful evenings and all the brethren and their ladies with whom I have associated during this past year, and in particular to my District Officers in their faithful service. To Wor. Bro. John A. Newell, the District Secretary, I am indebted for his assistance at all the

Official Visits, for without him my report of the condition of Masonry in my District would not be complete. Reverend Ross K. Cameron graciously acted as my District Chaplain and gave us such an inspiring message. Wor. Bro. J. Len Jones, Supervisor and Chairman of the Masonic Education Committee and his able Secretary, Wor. Bro. Aubrey M. Rhamey and all the members of their committee, gave the outstanding and thought-provoking Masonic Education evening. Wor. Bro. Fred A. Nicholls, Chairman of the Blood Donors, and Wor. Bro. Herbert Wagg, the Chairman of the Benevolence, spent their time and patience in labouring for our District. To each and every one of these brethren I extend my sincere appreciation for their assistance. To the Worshipful Masters, officers and brethren of all lodges I am grateful for the courteous and warm fellowship which I received at all functions.

Some people say that Masonry is on the decline, and on membership I must admit they are right. Although all lodges do not show an increase in attendance the majority of lodges do, which speaks well for the newer members, in that their attendance is being held. Each Master is to be congratulated for he can honestly say he has done something to promote Masonry by this increased attendance. Let us look to the future by giving our newer members a reason to come to lodge and then they will not be on the list of suspended and demitted. Financially each lodge shows that it is holding its own, in spite of the high costs of living each of us is experiencing, although not all with the same degree. Ritual was not always letter perfect, but, each candidate received something special, for he was the centre of attention on that evening and there seemed to be more expression put into most lectures. This expression will have left an impression on all who attended.

Is Masonry going to be judged on the number of members we have or by the calibre of brethren who are in the Craft? Masonic Education or instruction is one of the best ways in which to hold a brother's attention. Many lodges in this district are having excellent programs within their own lodge. Others are holding Masonic instruction and education prior to and after lodge meetings and, although we only had one district Masonic Education Meeting, we were able to enlighten the 171 brethren, who attended, by an excellent educational program with the theme, "The Candidate—Masonry's Most Important Building Block."

Many of the brethren in Toronto District 3 are showing much concern for Masonry in general. No one has any intention of touching our Ancient Land Marks or Ritual, but the concern is over the social intercourse which should prevail among all the brethren. Today's mode of living is changing, for, where people once were content to stay at home of an evening, they are now enjoying many evenings outside, and what better place to spend it than at a Masonic Temple. Masonic Temples have had to raise rents over and over again during the last number of years to

meet expenses. One way to reduce these expenses is to rent their banquet facilities to other functions. At one time they received a certain amount of their revenue from lodges holding their Ladies' Nights within the Temple. But today more and more lodges are taking their Ladies' Nights outside the Temple for one reason or another. Grand Lodge has the power to assist in bringing the Ladies' Nights back into the Temple and, in doing so, they, too, will have done something to promote Masonry.

DONALD M. WILSON, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "4"

It has been an honour and a privilege for me to have been the representative of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master during this past year. For the rich and rewarding experiences I have had, I shall always be indebted to the Past Masters and Officers of Dentonia Lodge, No. 651, for nominating me, to Toronto District "4" for electing me, and to the Grand Master for confirming my election.

I was pleased to appoint Wor. Bro. T. J. Trotter as my District Secretary, whose knowledge and understanding of books and records proved a valuable asset to me. He reported that all lodge records are being kept in a very neat and businesslike manner, and the rare minor suggestions he offered could only change the category from good to excellent. All Lodges appeared to be in a sound financial condition.

Bro. the Reverend Edward P. Leckie accepted the appointment of District Chaplain. He was always ready to provide for the spiritual needs of the brethren. Our Annual District Church Service was held in St. Crispin's Anglican Church, and Bro. Leckie's sermon entitled "The Secret Word" was very thought-provoking and interesting to all. It was a great pleasure to see this Church filled to its maximum capacity.

The District Education Committee, under the capable leadership of Wor. Bro. W. H. Reid, worked faithfully to encourage interest and provide information. From the many nice comments received, I know they were successful. Two meetings were held, one in November and the other in April. The first meeting was in the form of a dialogue, while the second provided answers to several questions which were submitted by the various Lodges.

Coupled with the second Education meeting, was a presentation on Benevolence. The District Benevolent Committee, headed by Wor. Bro. K. J. Cohoon, gave a report and presentation on Benevolence within our District. We were fortunate in being able to have Rt. Wor. Bro. G. J. McQueen, Supervisor of Benevolence, at our meeting. He gave a very stimulating and interesting address on Benevolence. The success of this program was evidenced by the large numbers in attendance.

The Blood Donors' Committee, under the leadership of Wor. Bro. Wm. Thom, again worked very efficiently. The "Canucks—67" (Masters of 1968) sponsored two clinics during the year—which was of great assistance to this Committee, and was a very worthwhile project. I was privileged to donate a plaque to the District for the Lodge having the largest percentage number of blood donors during the year. It is hoped that it will be an incentive, as well as a reminder to the brethren to "Give the Gift of Life". This plaque was presented to Brougham Union Lodge No. 269, as the winner for this year. It is noteworthy to mention that the total number of blood donors for the year was 352—an increase of 16 per cent over the previous year.

I was able to visit every Lodge during the year (thanks to good health), and was pleased to witness the conferring of all three degrees. The work of the Past Masters, Officers, and members in every case was good to excellent, and they were congratulated on their teamwork and sincerity, which was impressive to everyone—and particularly impressive to the candidate.

I also attended many receptions, installations and special nights to which I was invited. I was pleased to be involved in several presentations of 50 Year Lapel Buttons. To chat for a few moments to these veteran members, is a very rewarding experience. I would be remiss if I did not mention that on a few occasions I was asked why it was not possible to obtain the 50 Year Medal that was formerly presented. Perhaps a choice of either one or the other should be given the recipient.

My reception at every function was very warm and sincere, and indicates the high esteem with which Grand Lodge is held in District "4". I was both heartened and encouraged by the tremendous support, co-operation and fellowship extended by present Grand Lodge Officers, Masters and Wardens, members and visitors, who were in attendance at all my visits. I feel sure that Masonry in District "4" is presently of the highest calibre.

My wife and I, along with Wor. Bro. Trotter and his wife, attended all of the Ladies' Nights. We are grateful to the Worshipful Masters, Senior Wardens and their ladies, for their gracious hospitality extended to us. It cannot be denied that the ladies play an important role in promoting the good of Masonry. All of these affairs were a credit to the Lodges.

Having had my "finger on the pulse of the District" over the past year, I feel it is incumbent upon me to present a couple of thoughts for consideration. Firstly, Masonry is styled as a progressive science—but are we keeping pace with the rapid, changing conditions? As a suggestion, would it be possible to reassess or re-evaluate the edicts of many years ago and, if found necessary, bring them more in line with our present day living. Secondly, recognizing the importance of "communication" to the welfare of our Craft, there appears to be a thirst or a hunger for a greater

communication from the "top to the bottom". As a suggestion, perhaps this could be accomplished in the form of more "Lodges of Instruction", or perhaps the dissemination of more literature, or perhaps a personal contact with individual Lodges, so that a more charitable approach to a problem could be accomplished, rather than have hard, cold facts distort the picture.

In closing, may I offer my sincerest thanks to Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers, whose kindly advice was so helpful to me and made my task so much easier. It is my hope to have maintained the high standards of this office, and in some way to have contributed to the advancement of Masonry in District "4".

LEIGHTON L. McLEOD, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "5"

It has been my privilege to visit every lodge in Toronto District 5 at least once, many on more than one occasion, and it has been pleasant to note the warm welcome extended to Grand Lodge via its District Representative.

The work has been uniformly praiseworthy and, more particularly than ritualistic perfection, I have been impressed by the obvious sincerity and dignity on every occasion.

The District Secretary, W. Bro. Gordon A. Paine, has conducted his office with the quiet efficiency every one expected of him and reports that the work on the administrative side is in good order and in the hands of well-skilled brethren. On each of the Official Visits he advised me of brethren present whose length of service was noteworthy, which enabled me to convey to such brethren the felicitations of Grand Lodge. It is worthy of record here that the Button honouring such long service, does not seem to enjoy the sentimental value as was the case with the previous medal.

The work of the District was organised by many willing brethren and I record my thanks to Bro. Rev. Earl Nichols who so graciously assumed the District Chaplaincy and made friends of all by his words and actions. We are the better for his company. W. Bro. E. Barbour and his able Secretary, W. Bro. C. Frape, together with their committee, worked well. The highlight of their endeavours, in association with their colleagues of District 6, was a combined Districts 5 and 6 Lodge of Instruction, the work of which was commented on throughout by the inimitable Custodian of the Work, M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn. It was an evening that will be long remembered by all who were wise enough to attend.

W. Bros. G. Saunders and D. Hodgkinson worked hard as Chairman of the Blood Donors' Group and Chairman of Benevolence, respectively.

The District Secretary, W. Bro. Gordon A. Paine, has been a tower of strength, a wise counsellor, good friend and oft-time chauffeur. His endeavours have ensured harmony in Masonry throughout the District and I am forever in his debt.

During the Official Visit to my own Lodge, Grenville, No. 629, the candidate of the evening was my own son, Christopher. We were honoured by the company of several of the Toronto D.D.G.M.s and many members of the Board of General Purposes.

The decline in attendance is of concern in this as in most districts and, it is noticeable that there is a distinct link between attendance and the size of the membership of the lodge involved. Where this is less extensive it appears to provide more opportunity for personal involvement. Surely a moral here.

Also noticeable is the sharp increase in attendance where a noteworthy speaker, with a message of value, is the order of the day. Giving due heed to the financial ability of the lodge, Masters might find that Grand Lodge has many speakers of renown and, perhaps an evening of this sort in place of ritual, might well provide an interesting event.

Recognition of the labours of many in lodge and district often seems to go unrewarded, especially in the case of brethren not interested in or able, for a variety of reasons, to accept further preferment. True, an untoward increase in Grand Lodge rank would tend to diminish such honour but, could not an incidence of a District Rank cover such cases? This need take so little to organise and the cost would be minimal but the reception which such an award would evoke would be surprising in its magnitude, both personally and to the lodge so honoured.

Many lodges extended courteous invitations to my wife and me and to the District Secretary and his wife, to join them for their Ladies' Nights. Mrs. Southgate and Mrs. Paine enjoyed these evenings, as did the District Secretary and myself.

In conclusion, I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Officers and brethren of the District for the kindly way that they have received me in their lodges. The year has been one of inspiration that I will never forget.

F. LEONARD SOUTHGATE, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "6"

In submitting my report, I do so with sincere gratitude and appreciation as the representative of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master for Toronto District "6". This year has proven to be a most challenging privilege for me, and to you, my brethren of the entire district, my sincere thanks are extended for granting

me this honour of serving as your District Deputy Grand Master for the year 1969-70. It has been an experience which I will long remember.

Upon returning from Grand Lodge last July, and after having a few days to think over the responsibilities that rested upon me, my first official duty to the district was to appoint a District Secretary. I was extremely proud this year and very ably supported in having as my Secretary, Wor. Bro. Clifford Barker, who accompanied me on all of my Official Visits. Wor. Bro. Barker carried out his duties with dignity and in a very capable manner and, through his knowledge of the accounting profession, was able to make many worthwhile suggestions to the Lodge Secretaries.

Early in the year, I called a meeting of the Masters and Wardens of the district and we discussed the work for the coming term. This gathering proved to be a most interesting and constructive seminar as we openly discussed the various points that Most Wor. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Custodian of the Work, conveyed to the D.D.G.M.s at the Toronto District meeting.

We were honoured this year to have as our District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. L. G. King, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., and I am sure the district has benefited greatly under his guidance. The impressive District Divine Service that Bro. Rev. King conducted for us on April 12th, 1970, will long be remembered by all. I was very pleased to have Most Wor. Bro. James N. Allan, P.G.M. assist me and read one of the lessons. The Service was very well attended, and to all the brethren who honoured me with their presence, again I say thank you. What an opportunity it was for Masons to witness their faith in the Great Architect of the Universe.

It was a pleasure to have Wor. Bro. Archie Chapman, Past Master of Bedford Lodge, No. 638 as the District Chairman of Benevolence. Wor. Bro. Chapman has worked hard in this capacity. He held several meetings with the various lodge representatives during the year, endeavouring to communicate to them the very latest information on this very important subject.

The district was very fortunate in having two well-planned Masonic Education meetings, under the very capable guidance of Wor. Bro. John Snow as chairman. Wor. Bro. Snow was supported by a keenly interested committee who, during the year endeavoured to encourage all lodges to have regular Masonic Education presentations. It is the feeling of the committee that the Educational Nights should consist of something other than degree work, and that the Masters should give more instruction to their officers in their own lodges, pertaining to the mechanics of the degrees. The combined Educational Meeting that Grenville Lodge hosted for Districts "5" and "6" was most enlightening and was much appreciated by all the brethren. To Most Wor. Bro.

H. L. Martyn for so freely giving of his time and his Masonic knowledge, again I offer the thanks of the entire district.

Wor. Bro. D. Cleverton, Wor. Bro. Grant Oldham, as District Chairman and Vice Chairman respectively, of the Blood Donors' Committee, did all that anyone could do to arouse interest and active participation. Although the number of blood donations was not as great as had been hoped, I assure you that these two dedicated Masons are to be congratulated in the way they dispatched their responsibilities. I personally believe, and share the feelings of many other brethren, that the results do not justify the efforts, and that we should not be participating as a Masonic group. Just to clarify for you my thinking on this important subject, may I say that we should, at all times, give encouragement to those who are regular donors, and strive to increase the numbers for the Red Cross. This would make it much easier for the Red Cross to establish a more accurate account of their donors.

I received invitations to attend all the installations in the district, except two. It was also my pleasure, to share in the Divine Services of my other D.D.G.M. colleagues. Some of the highlights of my visitations were the receptions for the Grand Senior Warden and Grand Junior Warden, the One Hundredth Anniversaries at Georgetown, at Kerr Lodge in Barrie, and the 50th Anniversary of Palestine Lodge. All these evenings were of distinction, and a treat to have witnessed.

At all of my Official Visitations in the district, degree work was witnessed, and I am pleased to report that it was generally well presented. The uniformity of the ritual, and the sincerity in which the work was done, are proofs that Masonry is on a firm basis. I was gladdened to witness so many junior members given active parts in the work by their respective Masters. I cannot stress too strongly the importance of doing so. I firmly believe that an active member is an interested Mason. The District Secretary was greatly encouraged by the efficient registering of all lodge records, and gave favourable reports.

I was called on, several times, to present 50 Year Lapel Buttons to our senior brethren, and it was a heart-warming experience to hear these members reply to the presentations. The sacrifices these brethren have made for Masonry over fifty years, cannot help but make some of us feel very selfish and guilty. I trust they may be spared for many years to enjoy wearing the Button they so justly deserve.

I acknowledge with gratitude, the many invitations to the Ladies' Nights extended to Mrs. A. Barker, and Mrs. C. Barker, along with the District Secretary and myself. The hospitality and the warmth of friendships, so freely extended to us, will always remain a pleasant memory.

In concluding, may I, on behalf of Wor. Bro. C. Barker and myself, thank all the brethren of the committees for their valuable help and unfailing loyalty. To the Masters, Officers and Wardens of District "6", my sincerest thanks are extended for your encouragement and support during the year. I hope that any comments or suggestions I have made will be received in the spirit in which they were given.

A. H. L. BARKER, D.D.G.M.

TORONTO DISTRICT "7"

The purpose in this report is not to deliver a detailed review of the actions of the District Deputy this past year, for these actions are a matter of record. Instead, it is the purpose to discuss the relationship of rapid change—even broad unrest in our society, and the effect of these dynamics on our District. Today, dissent is more than a fashion—it is a way of life for a vociferous and political activist minority.

Immediately following the District Election, W. Bro. Stanley Gilbert, a P.M. of Palestine Lodge, No. 559, and an affiliated member of the Lodge of the Pillars, No. 703, was appointed District Secretary. His dedication and outstanding devotion earned him the respect of the whole District. The multitude of details was made to appear as daily routine and greatly facilitated our many district activities.

Formal inspections of all 26 Lodges were carried out in the usual manner as the District Representative. Ritual and degree work are in the hands of competent and dedicated officers. In those lodges where experienced P.M.'s add to the leadership as a team with the W.M., good attendance is enjoyed on those special nights.

One of the outstanding contributions made in District "7" was our Masonic "Think-In", held at Woodbridge High School on April 25th, headed by W. Bro. Bob Ward of Simcoe Lodge, No. 644 and an outstanding committee. The success of this dialogue, which was convened on a Saturday afternoon at 1 p.m., and adjourned for a Supper Banquet, cannot be measured in numbers only (some 116 brethren from all 26 Lodges in the District attended as delegates), but rather by the resulting intellectual cross-fertilization of minds. Discussions were held in earnest, frank and sincere appraisal of our changing times. All of this was taped; summaries were delivered by the resource leaders, and copies will be distributed to the various Lodges before the end of June. The dialogue attempted to project a viable, dynamic posture of possible change over the next few years. This very human internal tug-of-war is healthy and sound, so long as we recognize that the Craft's advances must represent compromise, which is a fact of life in all social, business and political groups.

I do, however, sincerely believe that we must be more receptive to change today than was necessary five or ten years ago. The times demand it.

The Masonic "Think-In" clearly showed that most of us, at this time of our life, suffer from what I call the "Stand Pat" syndrome. Unfortunately, emotion generally outweighs logic in stages of discussion, and change is therefore adopted only after becoming emotionally popular. Certainly the leaders of Toronto District "7" have been constantly searching for means of better internal communication, so that rapid changes do not constantly play one-upmanship with our District. We must continue to search for better means of communication within the District. Long delays are often noted because someone is afraid to ask permission to do things. I would respectfully suggest that the right of innovation, so long as it falls within the framework of our Constitution, must be a necessary part of vigorous leadership, which is apparent in many of our Lodges. Where this leadership is not forthcoming, the individual lodge has suffered, and suffered greatly. Encouragement at Wardens' levels is being asked for, and I am sure it will be available for those in all offices to seek guidance from both their P.M.'s and District Leaders.

In Toronto District "7" we have always fostered an understandable respect for tradition and experience. These virtues have served the Craft well for many years, and thus cannot and should not be discounted.

Another outstanding feature was our District Divine Service, held at the Church of the Atonement (Anglican), under the capable leadership of our District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. Keith G. Kiddell, on April 18th. Understanding, brotherhood and friendship were not mere uttered words, but were translated into action through the participation of three clergymen—our District Chaplain, an Anglican, our Grand Chaplain, R.W. Bro. Marshall Jess, a Presbyterian, and Bro. Rabbi Stuart E. Rosenberg of Beth Tzedec Congregation, Toronto, who preached the sermon. It was a night when more than 600 participated, which will be remembered for a long time. Full credit must be paid to our friends in the Anglican Diocese, to our District Chaplain, who arranged the Service, and to our other two "greats", outstanding men of the cloth, who made that night a living experience of Masonic faith. Our Immediate P.G.M., M.W. Bro. Donald J. Gunn, inspired us with the reading of the second lesson.

Fulfillment of plans, formulated years ago by Robertson Lodge, No. 292, King City, to build an addition to their Temple, is now a reality. Grand Lodge recently issued permission to proceed with this project. Members and their ladies will benefit greatly from these modifications and addition. We are thankful to the late R.W. Bro. G. T. Evans (of blessed memory), to V.W. Bro. Eric C. Horwood, his protém successor, and to the Grand Secretary for his valuable aid in co-ordinating this effort.

Early in the year, a meeting of the Masters and Senior Wardens of District "7" was held in my home. A Question and Answer period followed the introduction of the officers in the District, and this set the pattern for a close, harmonious working relationship with our various Lodges throughout the year.

R.W. Bro. Earl Stoddard was appointed Chairman of Benevolence for the District and did an outstanding job throughout the year. Requests have been received from various sources, indicating that the Benevolence forms available from Grand Lodge, should be issued to the Secretaries of the Lodges in **duplicate**. At present, the Secretary does not retain a copy for his files. Consequently, the Chairman of Benevolence, or the District Deputy, is asked to make needless trips to ensure proper completion of the forms before mailing to Grand Lodge. Duplicate forms would assist the Secretaries in those cases where grants continue from year to year, and would expedite the job of our District Chairman of Benevolence.

The Blood Donors' Committee has been under the Capable Chairmanship of W. Bro. George Thompson, P.M. Alpha Lodge No. 384. It is quite apparent that Blood Donors in our District are being approached by many sources other than their Masonic Lodges. Basically, most give where they work and are given time off to do so. It would, therefore, appear that Masonry is competing with the Social Agency rather than adding to it. Blood Donors' Clinics could be held twice yearly under Masonic Auspices in individual Temples, with complete Red Cross co-operation and support.

Many were the nights of presentation through the 26 Lodges of the District. One that stands out in our memory was the Presentation of the Regalia to R.W. Bro. Marshall S. Jess, a Past Master of True Blue Lodge, No. 98, Bolton, who was invested with the Grand Chaplain's Regalia early in the fall of '69. In making this presentation to an old friend, Masons from all corners of the District attended, and one can only say that the sincerity and deep intellectual qualities of this outstanding man of God, are surpassed only by his popularity in District "7".

Masons whom we have taken for granted, having met them casually through the years, have been a revelation in dedication and service.

Enjoyable too, was the presentation of many 50 Year Buttons, particularly during the nights when Mizpah Lodge, No. 572, and Palestine Lodge, No. 559, observed their 50th Anniversaries. Presenting the 50 Year Button to a Mason who is still able to enjoy it, is a far superior human quality than eulogizing after he has gone.

Some 19 Ladies' Nights were attended during the year, and the hospitality shown to the D.D.G.M., the District Secretary and

our Ladies, was most gracious. I think this points out the respect that Masons have for their own Grand Lodge.

To the many in District "7", may I tell you how much I appreciate being able to have served. I am proud of each and every one in our District, and I wish for you, M.W. Sir, in the coming year, continued good health, achievement and fulfillment as head of our respected Fraternity.

A. LOU COPELAND, D.D.G.M.

VICTORIA DISTRICT

As the most challenging and rewarding year of my life draws to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to express my profound gratitude to my brethren of Arcadia Lodge, No. 440, for nominating me, to my brethren of Victoria District for electing me to this office, and to you, Most Wor. Sir, for the confirmation of the same. Your many expressions of confidence, as well as your loyal support throughout the year, will be some of my most cherished memories.

My task was made much easier by the efficiency and the cooperation of my Secretary, Wor. Bro. Philip M. Graham, my Chaplain, Bro. Rev. N. W. Oake, my Chairman of Masonic Education, Rt. Wor. Bro. G. K. Johnson, my Chairman of the Blood Donors' Committee, Rt. Wor. Bro. Chas. H. Heels, and my Chairman of the Benevolent Committee, Rt. Wor. Bro. H. H. McPhadden.

My first action was to call a meeting of the Wor. Masters and Wardens of the District. We outlined general plans and policies for the year, discussed various problems of common interest and, most of all, we had the opportunity to become acquainted at the beginning of the year. It was truly a most profitable evening.

At my first Official Inspection I outlined my general objective, to concentrate on the application of Masonic Principles to our daily lives. On delivering my various addresses throughout the year, I made every attempt to keep this objective in mind. I would like to feel that I was reasonably successful in my endeavor.

On each of my Official Visits a degree was either conferred or exemplified. With a few exceptions the ritual work was particularly well done. In these exceptions it was mutually agreed that all that was needed was a little more practice. It is worth noting that the Lodges that excelled in ritual work were the ones that had a practice before each meeting. I did everything I could to encourage this plan.

I found the lodge premises ranged from excellent to satisfactory. It was most encouraging to see the smaller Lodges in particular making modest improvements or making plans for something better.

My Secretary checked all the books carefully and found them, without exception, to be in excellent condition. No Lodge appears to be having serious financial problems. In every visit I found the fellowship and hospitality of my brethren of Victoria District to be beyond expression.

We have a very active Wardens' Association which is proving to be a real asset to the Craft. It has been particularly successful in establishing a sense of confidence in our younger members and junior officers by providing them with an opportunity to prepare and deliver ritual work, an opportunity that they otherwise would be deprived of for some time.

Mrs. Prentice and I would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks for the generosity and thoughtfulness in including us as guests at Ladies' Nights. It gave us the opportunity to know my brethren and their wives better. We had a wonderful time at these memorable occasions.

What we anticipated as being the highlight of the year, is, at the time of preparing this report, not a reality. Final plans have been made to have our District Divine Service in The Minden United Church at 7.00 p.m. June 28th. My Chaplain, Bro. Rev. Oake is to be in charge. The Grand Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. M. S. Jess, will deliver the address. A feature worthy of note, a complete Masonic Choir, made up of the Brethren from the whole District, is planned. Judging from the enthusiasm expressed to date, a very successful Service is anticipated.

It is my opinion that Masonry in Victoria District is in a very healthy condition and the future appears to be very bright.

In closing, may I express my appreciation to all the Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers, as well as my brethren of Victoria District, for making this year one of the most memorable of my life. My sincere hope is that, in return, I have made some small contribution for the advancement of Masonry.

T. LESLIE PRENTICE, D.D.G.M.

WELLINGTON DISTRICT

It has been a privilege to serve as the representative of the Grand Master in Wellington District. The year has been full of unforgettable experiences, and I am grateful indeed. My sincere thanks go to the brethren of Credit Lodge in particular and of

the District in general for their generous support all through the year.

As one of my first duties I appointed the following District Officers:

Secretary, Wor. Bro. W. R. Lawson; Chairman of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. J. Pos; Chaplain, Bro. Rev. A. H. McKenzie; Chairman of Blood Donors, Wor. Bro. A. G. Farnell; and Chairman of Benevolence, Wor. Bro. S. Penrice. All of these brethren served their District with dedication, dignity and enthusiasm, and I sincerely thank them for their efforts.

Before making any Official Visits, the District Secretary and I met with all the Masters and Senior Wardens jointly, to get acquainted, to provide instruction on the ritual and the changes in the obligations, and to discuss plans and procedures for the year. I believe this meeting removed many uncertainties in the minds of the brethren, resulted in improved work among the Lodges, and created a more relaxed atmosphere than would have been the case otherwise. An introductory meeting of this type has much to commend it.

The District Secretary and I paid Official Visits to all Lodges in the District, and I have been able to visit most of them a second time as well. On many of these visits I was accompanied by some of my District Officers and a good representation from Credit Lodge. I am most grateful for their constant support. I must mention in particular my Secretary, Wor. Bro. Lawson, who performed his duties most efficiently and graciously, and whose wise counsel I valued.

Throughout the District I was received with warmth and dignity, testifying to the high regard in which Grand Lodge is held. One or other of the three degrees was conferred on each Official Visit. I found the business portion of the meetings to be well conducted in most cases, and the degree work was invariably good. The revised obligations were being used in all Lodges.

In several Lodges the dues structure was found to be inadequate to meet current expenses, but in each case steps were already being taken to correct the situation. In two Lodges the insurance carried was low by today's standards, and a review of their position was recommended. Two Lodges are meeting in quarters which present a potential fire hazard, but for one reason or another it is difficult for them to overcome the problem. It is possible that Grand Lodge guidance and financial aid would be necessary if improvements are to be made in this area. With these exceptions our physical and financial resources are sound.

I had the good fortune to participate in two outstanding events in the District, which made my year most memorable, if not unique. First, of course, was the Banquet and Reception for

the Grand Master, as part of the celebration of the Centennial of my home Lodge, Credit Lodge, No. 219, Georgetown. This took place on November 1, 1969, and was attended by over 360 Masons, including more than 50 Past and Present Grand Lodge Officers. It was followed on the same evening by the dedication of their new Temple. Most Worshipful Bro. Bruce B. Foster, Grand Master, was the guest of honour at the banquet, and performed the dedication ceremony. His inspiring addresses and his timely and kindly remarks on that day made it one never to be forgotten by those who attended.

Secondly, last October 20 I had the honour, on behalf of the Grand Master, to institute a new Lodge, Concord Lodge, U.D., meeting in the Preston-Hespeler Temple. In that ceremony I was very ably assisted by many Grand Lodge Officers of the District and beyond, to whom I extend my heartfelt thanks for their unhesitating response to my invitation to take part. I am happy to report that Concord Lodge is thriving under excellent leadership, and is a welcome and valuable addition to our Grand Jurisdiction.

During the year other special events took place, which should also be recorded. These included a Senior Wardens' Night with our Grand Senior Warden, Rt. Wor. Bro. G. Ivor Davies, in the chair, a District Divine Service conducted by our District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. A. H. McKenzie, with musical assistance by the Speed Lodge Choir, a District Masonic Education meeting, and, an innovation for our District, a Wellington District Night in which the degree work was done in its entirety by Grand Lodge Officers of the District. All of these meetings were well attended, and it was a pleasure to be a part of them.

Under the direction of Wor. Bro. J. Pos, the Masonic Education program this year was outstanding, with teams of well-skilled brethren visiting every Lodge to speak and lead a discussion on the theme "How to make Masonry more interesting." This theme was supported by my own addresses on Official Visits. The results were summarized and useful conclusions were drawn from them at the District meeting in May.

This is the 101st year of the existence of Wellington District and I am its 100th D.D.G.M. On July 15, 1970, this District as now constituted, ceases to be, and in its stead two new Districts, to be known as Waterloo and Wellington Districts, are born. In anticipation of this historic event, our very active Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association met late in May, with 170 members from 22 Lodges present, to dissolve their old organization and to form two new associations. Both are now ready to carry on next Fall, fully intending to aid in preserving the best of the Old District and in exploiting the advantages inherent in the smaller Districts.

Masonry is alive and well in Wellington District, and I have high hopes for its continuing advancement. I salute those from the

past who made the District what it is today, and I know we can confidently leave the future of the two new Districts in the care of the many fine Masons who are available and are able to guide their affairs. My warmest thanks go to the many faithful brethren whose untiring efforts are responsible for the present very satisfactory condition of Masonry in this District.

W. EDWIN WILSON, D.D.G.M.

WESTERN DISTRICT

As my year as the Representative of the Grand Master in Western District draws to an end, I find I am, more than ever, grateful to the brethren of the District for making it possible.

I cannot speak too highly of my District Officers, Wor. Bro. D. B. W. Mackie, who not only took on the duties of District Secretary but acted very ably as District Chairman of Benevolence, Wor. Bro. W. R. Horne, District Chaplain, and Wor. Bro. D. E. Whitten of Golden Star Lodge, No. 484, as District Supervisor of Masonic Education. Not only did these brethren accompany me on all Official Visits but came along on the "Special" visits and found time to make fraternal and educational visits on their own.

Wor. Bro. Frank Taylor of Granite Lodge, No. 446, Fort Frances, again accepted the duties of Chairman of the District Blood Donors' Committee, a position he has very efficiently filled for a number of years. Bro. William Bodger, as Co-chairman, handled the officers of the Blood Donors' Committee in the Northern end of this sprawling Western District. All of these brethren carried out their duties in a most efficient and pleasant manner. Certainly their efforts made my task a very pleasant one and I will always be grateful to these dedicated Masons for their great help.

Our reception at all Lodges was warm, friendly and courteous. Attendance at each of the meetings attended was at a high average, Fellowship, happiness and a good feeling of co-operation were evident. We witnessed the Work in all degrees and I would say it was quite uniform across the District and, in most cases, extremely well executed, both in the Lectures and the Floor Work, denoting a good deal of preparation and rehearsal. Meetings usually started on time; never was I kept waiting to be received at any Lodge and all officers, generally, but mostly Masters and Secretaries are to be congratulated on their promptness, neatness and their brisk yet dignified manner of conducting the business of the Lodge.

I was impressed with the calibre of the newly admitted brethren and with their enthusiasm for the work. This enthusiasm

in these young men augurs well for the future of Masonry, despite the decline of these past years.

The Past Masters' Association is proving to be an active and effective organization in the promoting of Masonic Education in the form of an Annual Past Masters' Shield Competition, this year hosted by Golden Star Lodge. Four five-man teams competed this year, Dryden—Lake of the Woods—Pequonga and Keewatin. The Lake of the Woods Lodge, No. 445, emerged the winner of the Shield, before an audience of ninety interested Masons.

I was in attendance at Pequonga Lodge for the presentation of Fifty Year Lapel Buttons to Brothers Sampson and Kelly. I presented to Right Wor. Bro. Gruchy his 60 Year Button during my visit to Ionic Lodge, No. 461. Right Wor. Bro. Gruchy is very active in the affairs of his Lodge and is still doing a great deal for Masonry in that southern end of Western District. On the occasion of Kenora Keewatin Lodge Dinner Meeting, mention was made of three members of Keewatin Lodge whose combined years in Masonry total 170 years. They were Rt. Wor. Bro. Galloway, Very Wor. Bro. Davidson and Very Wor. Bro. Baker.

I assisted in the dedication of a beautiful altar cloth in Golden Star Lodge, donated by Ledger Preceptory, No. 70, Fort Frances.

I was present at the visitation of Fidelity Lodge from Manitoba to Pequonga Lodge, Kenora. District Supervisor of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. Whitten gave an interesting talk on "Landmarks", and the number of questions asked by the brethren certainly showed their interest.

I was pleasantly surprised, during our visit to Atikokan Lodge, to find Rt. Wor. Bro. Rudman, Dist. Deputy G.M. of Algoma District, had travelled to Atikokan with Rt. Wor. Bro. Gunn, Wor. Bro. Bonner, Wor. Bro. Potts from Thunder Bay. Needless to say it was a very happy occasion.

Accompanied by my wife, I attended the Annual Kenora-Keewatin "At Home", which was a real success. I want to thank all the Lodges for their invitations to my wife and me to attend their "Ladies' Nights". We regret that we were not able to accept all that were extended to us.

I will look back on this year with many pleasant memories of friends I have made. I sincerely hope I have contributed something, however small, for the betterment of Masonry in this Western District.

JOHN K. FORBES, D.D.G.M.

WILSON DISTRICT

I deem it a real privilege and an honour to present my report on the condition of Masonry in the Wilson District for the year just ending.

I would like to express my appreciation to the members of Frederick Lodge, No. 217, for my nomination, to the brethren of Wilson District for electing me and to the Grand Master for confirming my election.

The first highlight of my year was the Centennial Banquet held by my Mother Lodge, No. 217, of Delhi, with the Grand Master honouring us with his presence and giving us a very inspiring message. I have had the pleasure of being present at several Centennial Banquets and other occasions since, when he was guest speaker and I was very much impressed with his friendliness.

It was my pleasure to appoint Wor. Bro. Earl Mabee, District Secretary, Wor. Bro. Lee Carter, Chairman of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. Maxwell Johnson, District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Milton Stoodley, Chairman of Benevolence, and V. Wor. Bro. Joe Griffith, Chairman of Blood Donors' Committee. I sincerely thank them for work well-done and for the help and encouragement they gave me.

I presented several Fifty Year Lapel Buttons and also presented a Mercer Wilson Medal to Bro. Rev. John Davies, who is well known in the District for his Masonic work. He gave an inspiring reply.

I am happy to report that on my Official Visits I found the work, according to the ritual, is well given to the candidates. I trust this will continue with the high calibre of the oncoming officers in all the lodges. The District Secretary found the books of all the lodges in good order, and all my officers and I appreciate the co-operation and warm reception we received. I would like to report that the three lodges in Woodstock installed a new furnace in their Masonic building, and that several other lodges in the District have either completed or are in the process of re-decorating, or are making minor repairs.

A Lodge of Instruction was held at Sarnia, which I attended. Work in all three degrees was done and instruction was given by M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Custodian of the Work. Lodges of Sarnia and surrounding Districts were invited and it was a very informative and enjoyable afternoon and evening.

The Past Masters' and Wardens' Association arrange inter-lodge visitations and this produces more uniformity in the conferring of degrees. It also enables the brethren of the District to get better acquainted. They also arrange a Spring meeting, when

the Junior Wardens of the District work a degree. The calibre of the work presented at this meeting gave evidence that the Lodges are in capable hands. R.W. Bro. Allan Broadley gave a short address during the evening.

Our Divine Service was held May 3, 1970, at the Langton Baptist Church. The speaker was the District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Maxwell Johnson, assisted by Bro. Arthur Hencher of Avondale United Church of Tillsonburg. The local choir attended and most of the lodges of the District were represented. A good number of brethren and their families enjoyed the social hour following the Service and the refreshments served by the Ladies of the Church.

My wife and I attended several Ladies' Nights in and outside of the District. We enjoyed attending these evenings very much.

At the time of this report, arrangements are being made for the Annual District Luncheon, to be held at the Canadiana Motel, at 401 and Kennedy Road in Toronto on July 15, 1970, at which R. Wor. Bro. William Knowles will be the guest speaker.

This has been one of the most interesting and rewarding years of my life, not only in Masonry but because of the wonderful friends I have made in Wilson and surrounding Districts, and also in Grand Lodge. I sincerely hope that, during my term of office, I have helped to promote Masonry in this District. I will always remember the many friends I have made through Masonry this year.

CLAIR J. SWAIN, D.D.G.M.

WINDSOR DISTRICT

Having completed the busiest of my fifty five years on earth, it is with pride and humility, and also a little sadness, that I gaze in retrospect on those pages of life of which my brethren of Windsor District allowed me the privilege of living. I am truly thankful to the Most Worshipful the Grand Master for confirming my election and allowing me this wonderful opportunity. It has been a very rewarding year. I feel I have made many friends; I hope I have made no enemies. For those who misunderstood me may they, in the future years, digest the true import of what I tried to convey.

Wor. Bro. Charles Hill did an excellent job as my District Secretary and was respected for his dignity and the manner in which he fulfilled his work. I thank him most sincerely for his help.

There were few visits when I was not accompanied by the three Grand Stewards and Standard Bearer, and I thank Very Wor. Brothers Carle, Quick, McLean and McMonagle for their moral support.

My appointment of the District Chaplain lasted until his retirement in January, and I thank Rev. Bro. Charles Draper for his inspiring messages on many occasions. Finishing the year, Rev. Bro. Jack Mennell was always on the spot to fill in and I thank him for assisting in many ways, especially after just completing two years as Chaplain of this District.

Both of my Blood Donor Chairmen, Wor. Brothers Locke Jr. and Snook, have worked very diligently all year. I hope, for their sake, that their labours will bear fruit in the final report, and that they will cheerfully fulfil this duty for another year. I thank them and all who contributed to this cause.

The Chairmen on Masonic Education in the individual lodges are making a fine effort in this field and, wherever I travelled, I encountered among the newer members a very keen interest for Masonic literature. With my District Chairmen I wasn't so fortunate, one was suspended and the other took sick. I am happy Wor. Bro. Allan McGuire is now back to normal and continuing with this work, I was proud to present him with a seventy-fifth blood donor pin.

My wife and I attended many Ladies' Nights in the district. We were cordially received and had a wonderful time. No one can say Masons are not a happy group.

One of our highlights of the year, was our Grand Master's Reception. The Masons of this district will long remember Most Wor. Bro. Bruce Foster's inspiring message, and to him we are most grateful. I wish to thank all Grand Lodge Officers, past and present, who attended, driving many miles in most cases to be with us. Also my thanks are extended to Rt. Wor. Bro. Dougal McInnis for being Chairman on this occasion and all his committees.

Our Annual Masters' Ball was also a tremendous success, and I thank Rt. Wor. Bro. Robert Colledge and his committees for their hard work.

Our other successful event was, of course, the Annual International Night held in Ionic Lodge, No. 474, Detroit, Mich. Worshipful Master Crawford Norton made all of us most welcome. An Honorary Life Membership was presented to me, of which I was quite undeserving.

This district has been honored this year by visits from the Grand Senior and Junior Wardens on many occasions, and we hope they have made many friends here. We will welcome them back in future years.

In closing my report, I sincerely feel that more Masons are taking a deeper interest in their lodges and their district, and that attendance is improving, I thank every member of the lodges for making my year so successful.

W. EUGENE HAYDON, D.D.G.M.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn, Chairman, presented this report and read the Foreword to the Reviews. The Deputy Grand Master then moved, seconded by M.W. Bro. Gunn, that the report be received and adopted. The motion was carried, unanimously.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL RELATIONS

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. Martyn, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Fraternal Relations presents their Report dealing with this area of Masonic activity during the year that has just concluded.

During the year we have received a communication from the Grand Lodge of Belgium with reference to a controversy that has arisen between that Grand Lodge and the Grand Lodge Nationale of France. This difficulty arose after the headquarters of NATO and SHAPE had been moved from France. One of the lodges of the Grand Lodge Nationale which was composed chiefly of army personnel of American Nationality moved their location from St. Germain en Laye to Maubeuge near the Belgium border. The contention was that this Lodge were receiving and acting on applications from persons who were resident in Belgium and not in France.

This controversy was discussed at the meetings of the Commission on Information for Recognition at the Grand Masters' Conference at Washington in February of this year. The Commission concluded their report to the Conference with this sentence: "It is to be hoped that these Grand Jurisdictions can work out their difficulties without further disruption of Masonic Harmony." Your Committee recommends that we take no action on Belgium's protest at the present time.

The Committee considered a request for recognition from the Grand Lodge of Tamaulipas, Mexico. This Grand Lodge is situated in the State of the same name in the north eastern part of Mexico on the Texas border. The official language is Spanish. At the present time we only recognize the York Grand Lodge of Mexico. This Grand Lodge is over 100 years old and its official language is English. The Grand Lodge of Tamaulipas is very highly regarded in Mexico and is one of the two State Grand Lodges which is recognized by the York Grand Lodge of Mexico. We have requested from them certain information about their world-wide Masonic affiliations and at the present time we await a reply to our queries. We now recommend that a decision on this request be deferred.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

HARRY L. MARTYN,
Chairman.

CALLED OFF

Grand Lodge adjourned at 12.30 p.m.

CALLED ON

Grand Lodge resumed Labor at 2.05 p.m., the Grand Master on the Throne.

REPORT OF THE MASONIC FOUNDATION OF ONTARIO

V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth, President of The Foundation, presented the following Report. On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by V. Wor. Bro. Ashforth, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is with deep regret I refer to the loss sustained by The Foundation in the passing of two of our esteemed Directors, M.W. Bro. R. W. Treleven and R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw. Bro. Treleven served with distinction in helping form The Foundation and was its first President. His devotion to the aims and objects of The Foundation are well known to us and it is typical of him that his interest continued to the end. One month prior to his

sudden passing he sent a donation to the Fund, and only a few weeks ago we received a bequest from the Executors of his Estate.

Bro. Berkinshaw also served with distinction on the Board of Directors from the commencement of The Foundation and played an important part in its affairs. His keen and untiring interest was in itself an inspiration. Bro. Berkinshaw envisaged a Foundation with a broader base than was presently being applied. He felt The Foundation might well seek and lend financial support in the field of Research, preferably medical. So strong were his views, The Foundation did search and find an organization which met our qualifications. It is the Ontario Division of The Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada, to whom a contribution of \$600.00 was sent, to be used in their research programme.

Apart from this gift the activities of The Foundation have been confined to the granting of non-repayable awards to worthy university students who could not have continued their course had not The Foundation come to their aid at a time of urgent need. I may say applications for financial assistance are submitted through the Awards Officer at various universities throughout the Province of Ontario and are then carefully screened by The Foundation before an award is granted. During the year, 37 students from 16 universities were helped, which compares with 23 students in the preceding period. The awards amounted to \$9,030.00 compared with \$8,600.00 a year earlier. Among those assisted this year were some divinity students and a few sons and daughters of members of the Craft. As in the past, The Foundation continues to work closely with the Committee on Benevolence and we appreciate their cooperation. We, in no way, compete or conflict with their activities.

A feature in making several of the awards this year was the participation by some of the District Deputy Grand Masters who met a student in their district and presented the award to him or her. Letters from some of the recipients in conveying their thanks and appreciation have mentioned the District Deputy by name and I should like to thank each of the District Deputies for their kindly interest. Time does not permit the reading of all these fine letters but I should like to quote just a few excerpts from some of them.

C.J.B. — University of Windsor:

"Please receive my thanks for the bursary that Mr. Haydon presented to me. I am very grateful to you and the Masonic Foundation, without this assistance I would have been forced to withdraw from classes."

B.R. — Waterloo:

"The work of the Masonic Foundation is commendable and greatly appreciated by those who receive its benefits. I will do my best to be a credit to the Foundation and the University."

A.H.J. — Western University:

"I am writing a few lines to thank you for the visit of Messrs. Roy Hurst and Jack Marshall who called on me a few days ago and presented me with a cheque for \$300 from your organization.

"I would like to express my heartfelt thanks for the generosity that your organization has shown in coming to my rescue at this time. It is difficult to imagine how my fees would have been paid without this generosity."

R.F. — Victoria College, University of Toronto:

"Mr. J. J. Talman,
Northcrest Drive,
London, Ontario.

Dear Sir,

I would like to take the opportunity in this letter to thank the Masonic Foundation of Ontario and you, personally, for your help and interest in this matter. I met with Mr. Ashforth and Mr. Hastie this morning and these gentlemen presented me with a cheque which will adequately alleviate my problems. I am very grateful for the swift action taken by you three gentlemen and I express my appreciation for it."

B.B. — McMaster (Divinity):

"I am a student at McMaster Divinity College, and one of the recipients of a three hundred dollar bursary from your Foundation. I write this letter to express my thanks and appreciation."

"The last six years have been rather slim in terms of income. I speak not only for myself, but for many who are involved in obtaining theological education. Thus you can appreciate what an extra three hundred dollars can mean."

R.C. — McMaster (Divinity):

"May I take this opportunity to express my deepest and most sincere thanks for the interest the Masonic Foundation has shown in theological education and in particular theological students. I will be able to purchase several much needed texts etc. Unlike many disciplines, theological students do not receive the opportunity for fellowship, or teaching grants, during the academic year. A gift such as yours could be termed 'an answer to prayer.'"

J.G. — University of Guelph:

"I found myself short of funds due to illness and having to withdraw without credit because of the flu. This assistance will enable me to catch up. Edwin Wilson, D.D.G.M. Wellington, was of assistance in presenting the award."

R.A. — Victoria College, University of Toronto:

"Under the present system of government student loans it was impossible for me to borrow any of the money necessary to see myself through the school year. I had come to the end of the year unable to make ends meet even after working part time and borrowing as much as I possibly could from the College's limited resources."

Donations received during the year amounted to \$2,208.65 an increase of \$1,074.00 over the preceding year. Memorial Remembrances amounting to \$1,141.90 were received as tributes to the late M.W. Bro. Treleven. These were from 42 sources, including Districts, Lodges and individuals. Two Lodges made straight donations to The Foundation totalling \$20.00, whilst two other Lodges sent memorial remembrances amounting to \$36.75. Seven individuals, including some Directors and friends, also made donations totalling \$1,010.00. Sincere thanks are extended to all those who kept the financial needs of The Foundation in mind.

Total assets on April 30th, 1970 amounted to \$175,049.57, with no debts outstanding. Included in the assets are bonds having a cost value of \$172,125.00. The differential between cost and market values has increased from \$27,443.00 a year ago, to \$36,185.00 at the end of April. No ultimate loss is contemplated as it is expected the bonds will be held until maturity.

Net surplus for the year amounted to \$516.14 which compares with \$874.00 in the preceding year. I trust gross income this year will be greater as the demand for awards is unabated.

In conclusion, I should like to thank Wor. Bro. H. L. Hastie, the able and devoted Secretary-Treasurer of The Foundation for his untiring efforts during the year, to R.W. Bro. J. J. Talman for his efficient and painstaking investigation of applications for awards, to R.W. Bro. M. Cleeve Hooper for his wise counsel and advice, and also to the Directors of The Foundation, and others, who have given so freely and generously of their time and talent.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

A. C. ASHFORTH,
President.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCE

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. E. W. Nancekivell, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Nancekivell, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is my privilege, on behalf of the members who constitute it, to present the Report of the Grand Lodge Committee on Benevolence for 1969-70. The work of Benevolence continues unabated in an effort to soothe the afflictions and relieve the necessities of our brethren and their families who are in somewhat less than ideal circumstances. Although we are not a Benevolent Society in the strictest interpretation, yet Benevolence forms a very large and important part of Masonic activity though frequently with very little fanfare or publicity. There are brethren who feel that Masonry should supply all the financial needs of those Masons and their families who are in distress, to the exclusion of various levels of Governmental assistance, but the cost of such encompassing activity would be strictly prohibitive, and we are more likely to respond to need by (1) supplementing Governmental assistance, (2) by making sure that recipients are aware of what assistance is available to them from Government and other sources but at the same time (3) unreservedly providing benevolence to those ineligible for other aid. It is our feeling that there is nothing demeaning in a Mason accepting assistance, whether it be Municipal, Provincial or Federal, to which he is fully entitled by having paid taxes, open or concealed, for various numbers of years. It is one of our chief difficulties as a committee to become assured that, by making a grant to one of our recipients, we do not cause a corresponding decrease in assistance from other sources, at the same time stipulating that the total assistance is completely adequate according to the information supplied to us.

For the first time in our Grand Jurisdiction there have been appointed by the District Deputy Grand Master in each district, District Chairmen of Benevolence. These brethren, most of whom have had considerable Masonic experience and a high level of interest in matters Benevolent, have been very effective in organizing and facilitating Benevolence at the District level. The applications have been processed better than has been the case previously. The investigation of cases has been more thorough and many new cases have been submitted for consideration and necessary action. I commend, most highly, these District Chairmen, and express the hope that, if possible, they may be re-appointed to office by the incoming District Deputy Grand Master, so that each may obtain continuity in office and, by more experience, further increase his effectiveness in this important District function.

The Committee on Benevolence met in harmony at the Grand Lodge Administrative Building in Hamilton on June 5th and 6th with 100% attendance, including our Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, and Immediate Past Grand Master, and carefully

considered and acted on 200 applications, of which 30 were new ones. This constitutes a slight increase in numbers over last year.

The following statistics are applicable:

Grants paid (200) totalling	\$58,470.00
Interim grants (22)	5,550.00
Total	\$64,020.00
Less Cancellations and Refunds	1,746.31
Net Total	\$62,273.69

In addition, Emergency grants were given totalling \$384.36. After careful consideration, it is recommended that \$67,000.00 be appropriated for benevolence in 1970-71.

As a matter of interest and to illustrate the type of problem which faces the Committee, the following example is presented.

In February, 1966, Bro. R. from the Sudbury area was seriously injured in an automobile accident. He was admitted to hospital with serious brain damage, a broken hip and multiple injuries. Surgery was performed and this brother was unconscious for five weeks. He gradually regained consciousness but was more or less completely paralyzed. The doctors had little hope for recovery, stating he would never walk again. By his faith and the patient encouragement of his wife, who remained with him during his critical hours, he said he would walk again. With perseverance and help from her, as well as physiotherapy treatments, he gradually regained the use of his hands and arms and then was able to feed himself.

In December, 1967, he was sent down to Toronto to Lyndhurst Lodge. While in Toronto it was necessary to have at least three operations at the Toronto General Hospital on his hip and legs. Eventually he was able to get about in a wheel chair. Mrs. R. moved to Toronto and obtained an apartment close to Lyndhurst Lodge so she could be near to visit daily, assist and generally encourage him. During this time, the members of his Lodge, the Chapter and Grand Lodge, have been assisting this brother. All through his long confinement in hospital the members kept in touch with letters, cards and personal visits whenever possible. After two years and three months in Lyndhurst Lodge and Toronto General Hospital, this brother has returned home. His daughter and son-in-law have provided a small apartment in their home where he and his wife are quite comfortable. It will be necessary for him to return to Toronto periodically for further examinations and check-ups. Since his return home there has been a decided and marked improvement in his progress after two months and they can foresee the day when he will be attending lodge again. He is now getting about the apartment with the aid of walkers.

His faith in God and his confidence in his fellow men have been strong contributing factors in his miraculous recovery. This has been assisted by the constant interest and contact of his Masonic brethren through visitation, letters and cards, as well as their financial help. This has meant a great deal to this brother and his wife and no doubt will continue through the period of rehabilitation which lies ahead.

The following bequests and donations are gratefully acknowledged:

Georgian District	\$ 92.63
Charles Watt	8.00
Harry O. Schroeder	53.56
Victoria Lodge, No. 299	10.00
High Park Lodge, No. 531	100.00
Toronto 1935 Masters	35.19
Toronto 1942 Masters	26.61
Funcken Council K. of C.	60.00
Elmer J. Sirrs Estate	\$22,000.00

After due consideration of the help and cooperation evidenced in the past, the Committee unanimously recommends continuing membership in the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada.

May we make a plea for each individual Mason to interest himself in the benevolent needs of his brethren, that we may be known by our good works as a truly benevolent organization. We now have a Grand Lodge Committee on Benevolence, District Chairmen of Benevolence and Lodge Benevolent Committees but it is still the individual member who is responsible for bringing to the attention of his lodge the plight of a fellow member or his family in need of assistance. Every Mason should be familiar with the Rules Respecting Benevolence in our Book of Constitution, and it is particularly important for the Worshipful Master and Secretary to initiate the application properly and with sufficient pertinent detail so that it can be processed speedily and efficiently and the necessary aid can be rendered.

May I, as Chairman, commend very highly the excellent work done by our Supervisor of Benevolence, R.W. Bro. George J. McQueen, with whom I have the privilege of working very closely. The conscientious and sympathetic manner in which he performs the multitudinous tasks inherent to his office, reflects credit on our Craft and its benevolent function. May I also thank each member of the Committee for his willing cooperation, his painstaking consideration of applications, and his unstinting donation of time and talent to the benevolent work of Masonry.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

ERIC W. NANCEKIVELL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATION

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. N. R. Richards, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Richards, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Committee on Masonic Education, which was appointed in July 1969, is pleased to present its report to the One Hundred and Fifteenth Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

Early in August of 1969 the Committee contacted the District Deputy Grand Masters and expressed the hope that, as their programs were developed for the year ahead, each would plan to have Masonic Education occupy a significant place and one which would have priority. Each District Deputy Grand Master was requested to name a Supervisor for Masonic Education for his district. I am deeply grateful for the almost immediate response to this request. The reports received in late May on the condition of Masonic Education in the several districts reflect the dedicated interest and sincere effort of the Supervisors of Masonic Education working with the District Deputy Grand Masters in providing Masonic information for the brethren.

The Committee suggested that Masonic Education be encouraged and stimulated at the lodge level, making use of the following publications of Grand Lodge:

1. History of Freemasonry of Canada in the Province of Ontario,
2. Manual for Masonic Instructors and Students,
3. Book of Constitution,
4. Proceedings of Grand Lodge.

In discharging its responsibilities, the Committee on Masonic Education recognized that it would be inadvisable and indeed inappropriate to suggest that all districts develop a similar program. This in itself would fail to recognize that, in all probability, the newly elected District Deputy Grand Master would have a particular theme in mind for his district. The Committee, of course, encouraged the District Supervisors of Masonic Education to lend their full support, imagination, and initiative to strengthen the

district program. The role of the Grand Lodge Committee is one of making information available with a view to developing a fuller understanding and appreciation of Freemasonry.

For several years it has been the practice of the Committee on Masonic Education to prepare a Syllabus of Instructions which is distributed from the office of the Grand Secretary early in September. The Syllabus is designed to provide guidelines for Masonic Education around:

1. The Preliminary Proceedings of Grand Lodge with particular reference to the Grand Master's Address, the Grand Secretary's Report and, by making reference to a few of the Committee Reports, to remind the brethren of the Committee Structure of Grand Lodge.
2. The Fraternal Reviews which establish the international aspects of Freemasonry and relate the achievements and problems of Grand Lodges in other provinces and other countries.
3. The History of Grand Lodge.
4. The Book of Constitution.
5. The Manual for Masonic Instructors and Students.

The Syllabus of Instructions could be used as the basis for initial Masonic Education Programs when lodges open following the summer recess. Replies from the districts indicate that the Syllabus is not being used extensively for this purpose and indeed in some lodges is not being used at all. It would seem to be appropriate to begin the fall program on Masonic Education by discussing matters of interest and importance to the Craft that were presented at the most recent Communication of Grand Lodge. The Syllabus of Instructions would be helpful in developing such a program.

Reports on the status of Masonic Education from the District Deputy Grand Masters indicated that:

1. A Supervisor of Masonic Education was appointed in all the districts.
2. More than half of the districts have a District Committee on Masonic Education.
3. In the majority of districts the Supervisor of Masonic Education is appointed for a one-year term. The question was raised several times as to the advisability of having the Supervisors re-appointed for two or three years to ensure continuity of purpose in matters relating to Masonic education.

4. The majority of districts hold Masonic Education nights at the district level.
5. Few lodges adopted a theme for the year's program. There was a wide range in the kind of program offered, ranging from emphasis on the interpretation of the work to topics of current interest such as The Breathalyzer Test and Drugs and the Teenagers.
6. Lodges reported making effective use of the information distributed by the Committee on Masonic Education.

A District Deputy Grand Master reports that "Masonic Education Nights to be successful should be pleasant, instructive and entertaining." It is interesting to note the several different techniques being used to create interest. Audiovisual methods were used with success, while innovations such as the Masonic Cross Word Puzzle and the Masonic Baseball Game generated interest when used as part of the program. The kind of program most frequently reported was a prepared talk, followed by a discussion period. The common practice at the lodge level is to have short prepared talks on timely topics, occasionally illustrated by the use of slides.

If space permitted, a summary of the meetings held in each district would be included in this report. A few examples have been selected to illustrate different approaches that have been employed in developing programs for Masonic Education nights.

Toronto District "2" held a Masonic Workshop and Conference under the auspices of the District Education Committee, of which R.W. Bro. Colin D. MacKenzie is Chairman. The Conference adopted the theme "Changing Times—Its Challenge to Freemasonry". Those attending the Conference were divided into four groups to consider the topics—(1) Social Activity, (2) Education, (3) Communications and (4) Organization. Representatives from the lodges were reminded that "The one thing NOT wanted is a great list of complaints of what's wrong with Freemasonry. Our principal interest is finding out what we can do to improve our work in Freemasonry and you must think in that direction." The Conference was well organized, the exchange of opinions was free flowing and constructive, all of which contributed to a successful and exciting venture in Masonic Education.

Toronto District "7" Masonic Education under the Chairmanship of Wor. Bro. R. C. Ward organized a "Masonic Think-In". The topics under discussion were the same as those studied by Toronto District "2". Delegates were provided with an opportunity to speak their piece and were challenged as follows: "Please remember above everything else we are meeting as Equals and Brothers of the finest Fraternal Organization in the world for a common purpose, a **Re-Awakening** and **Re-Vitalization** of our Order."

The Wellington District Education Committee under the Chairmanship of Wor. Bro. Jacob Pos chose as a theme "How to Make Masonry More Interesting to its Members". A survey was conducted through the use of a questionnaire to ascertain why some members cease to hold membership in the Craft. Volunteers were enlisted to evaluate the information and to prepare a short talk for presentation in a lodge in the District. Twelve brethren prepared a ten minute talk on the theme subject and each lodge in the district was addressed by one of the speakers.

During the year the Committee on Masonic Education forwarded copies of the following mimeographed material to the District Deputy Grand Masters for distribution to each of the lodges.

1. The Centrality of the Holy Bible in Living, by M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright.
2. The Committee Structure of Grand Lodge—A Revision, by R.W. Bro. N. R. Richards.
3. The Seven Liberal Arts and Sciences, by R.W. Bro. Charles A. Sankey.
4. Recommended Books, by R.W. Bro. Duncan Copus.

Several requests were received for information that had been prepared in recent years by R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey. Insofar as copies are available, requests were accommodated. A copy of "Information for Worshipful Masters and Wardens in Preparation for Responsible Leadership in Masonic Lodges" by R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey was forwarded to each District Deputy Grand Master in March.

The Committee on Masonic Education is indebted to M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Custodian of the Work, for support of Masonic education. The Reports submitted by the District Deputy Grand Masters on the condition of Masonic Education indicate the contribution being made by M.W. Bro. Martyn to a better understanding of the work through the regional meetings with the District Deputy Grand Masters and the district meetings he has addressed. It is encouraging to note in the reports the several references to the use being made of the Library facilities and the thoughtful attention of R.W. Bro. Duncan Copus, Chairman of the Grand Lodge Committee, to requests for assistance and guidance.

The Committee on Masonic Education makes special reference to M.W. Bro. Dwight L. Smith's address delivered at the 114th Annual Communication of Grand Lodge. Copies of the address were distributed from the Grand Secretary's Office to each Lodge Secretary. Those who heard M.W. Bro. Smith deliver his inspiring message a year ago were moved and impressed by his positive,

forward-looking analysis of Freemasonry. There is no place to dwell on what's wrong with Freemasonry. There is so much right about it. I hope each lodge in the Grand Jurisdiction urged their members to read and study M.W. Bro. Smith's address.

I would be remiss in bringing this report to a close if I did not express the thanks of the Committee on Masonic Education to the District Deputy Grand Masters, the District Supervisors of Masonic Education and the brethren who participated in and assisted with Masonic Education in any way during the year. It is not necessary for me to remind you of the tremendous contribution made over the years by previous committees. It has been the purpose of the Committee for which I speak to follow that example. Whatever success is achieved in Masonic Education depends on the continuing interest of the brethren in their thirst for a fuller and satisfying understanding of Freemasonry.

Respectfully submitted,

N. R. RICHARDS,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE BLOOD DONORS' COMMITTEE

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. G. E. Turner, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Turner, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I have the honour and privilege of presenting the report of the Blood Donors' Committee for the Masonic year 1969-1970.

Unfortunately this report cannot be construed as a complete one since many Chairmen were unable to submit their reports because of the postal strike which was still continuing when this report was written. I am sure that there are many reports in the mail that cannot be delivered and I wish to tell all the Chairmen how sorry I am that this report cannot be completed and to thank them for their efforts.

Rt. Wor. Bro. Eugene Haydon, who served this Committee for several years as Chairman of Windsor District, was honoured by his brethren by being elected District Deputy Grand Master; we extend to him our congratulations.

Your Committee again wishes to thank all District Deputy Grand Masters for their interest in this worthy cause. All were most prompt in appointing a District Chairman and gave each Chairman a great deal of support throughout the year. I am sure that the increases in some of the Districts were due to the interest shown by the D.D.G.M.s.

Following is a list of the districts, together with the number of donors, compared with last year:

District	Donations 1969	Donations 1970
Algoma	303	351
Brant	136	
Bruce	190	
Chatham	49	75
Eastern	124	147
Frontenac	229	
Georgian	244	222
Grey	205	216
Hamilton "A"	0	533
Hamilton "B"	496	465
London East	91	132
London West	151	193
Muskoka-Parry Sound	78	80
Niagara "A"	201	
Niagara "B"	66	115
Nipissing East	12	
Nipissing West	803	724
North Huron	81	48
Ontario	190	190
Ottawa	511	622
Peterborough	248	240
Prince Edward	238	
Sarnia	448	249
St. Lawrence	0	306
St. Thomas	14	126
South Huron	172	228
Temiskaming	224	184
Toronto 1	821	856
Toronto 2	451	469
Toronto 3	122	
Toronto 4	301	352
Toronto 5	0	144
Toronto 6	109	
Toronto 7	204	384
Victoria	94	92
Wellington	452	229
Western	563	619
Wilson	398	409
Windsor	667	529

The largest number of donors, 856, was reported by Wor. Bro. J. P. O'Sullivan of Toronto District No. 1. The next largest

number was reported by Bro. Clifford C. Sharp of Nipissing West District. The greatest increase over the previous year was 180, reported by Wor. Bro. George Thompson of Toronto District 7, and the second greatest increase was 111, reported by Wor. Bro. J. Alf Pell of Ottawa District. Your Committee congratulates these Chairmen but warn them to watch out for next year.

Again this year your Committee notes that 22 of last year's Chairmen again consented to serve this year. Our sincere thanks goes out to these brethren and we do hope that they will see fit to serve another year. Your Committee feels that the success of the Blood Donors' Committee has depended to a great extent on the enthusiasm and devotion of these Chairmen. Wor. Bro. W. J. M. Fuller of London District, Rt. Wor. Bro. Chas. H. Heels of Victoria District have served on the Committee for a period of 9 years; Rt. Wor. Bro. J. Cal Krauter of North Huron District, Rt. Wor. Bro. Clare A. Reith of South Huron District and V. Wor. Bro. J. L. Griffith of Wilson District have each contributed 7 years of service. Many others have served faithfully and long and to all of them we say a very sincere thank you.

An increasing number of Districts have inaugurated competitions for trophies. It seems to have increased the interest in blood donations. Also Masonic Blood Donors' clinics are becoming more popular and these also increase the interest of the brethren. Your Committee feels that the Ontario Division of the Canadian Red Cross will assist in setting up Masonic clinics if they are approached.

Again I wish to apologize for the incompleteness of this report and to assure each Chairman that I will write him as soon as the mail starts to move out of Windsor. I feel very badly at not being able to recognize the efforts of each Chairman by a letter of thanks but I will do my best later on. At the present time please accept my sincere thanks and my hope that you will all serve again next year.

Your Committee wishes to thank the Grand Secretary and the members of his staff for their kindness during the year. Although we as Masons may be taking two months holidays from labour, remember, sickness takes no vacation, so brethren, keep donating blood during the summer months.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of this Committee.

GEORGE E. TURNER, M.D.
Chairman.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALLIONS

R.W. Bro. Hiram P. Ball, Grand Master of Pennsylvania, presented to M.W. Bro. B. B. Foster, Grand Master, and to M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary, a beauti-

ful bronze medallion of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania bearing the name of Hiram P. Ball, Grand Master, 1970.

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON LODGE BUILDINGS

This Report was presented by V.W. Bro. Eric C. Horwood, who was appointed Chairman, pro tem, by the Grand Master following the death of R.W. Bro. George T. Evans. On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by V.W. Bro. Horwood, the Report was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is indeed a signal honour for me to be asked to carry on the work of the late R.W. Bro. Geo. T. Evans. Since I was appointed Chairman, pro tem., of the Advisory Committee on Lodge Buildings, I have had an opportunity, not only to re-read the reports of our late Brother Evans but to carefully examine many of the documents and diagrams which he prepared for Grand Lodge.

Accordingly, lest we forget the great contribution that R.W. Bro. Evans made, I would like, and I think it is my duty, to call your attention to a brief retrospect of the outstanding and invaluable services that he rendered to Masonry through the Advisory Committee. This Committee was established shortly after M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn was elected Grand Master in July, 1957. At that time, V.W. Bro. Evans (later R.W. Bro. Evans) was appointed Chairman of the Committee and he acted as its Chairman until his sudden passing to the Grand Lodge Above in November, 1969.

During the more than twelve years he served as Chairman, he prepared for Grand Lodge to distribute to any Lodge contemplating building or leasing new premises, or remodelling and/or enlarging its existing premises, Bulletins outlining the general requirements for Lodge Buildings and for electric wiring and lighting. He also prepared a list of Regulations which were approved by Grand Lodge in July, 1958, a Bulletin containing extracts from the Safety Regulations of the Ontario Fire Marshal as far as they are applicable to lodge buildings, and a detailed questionnaire or check list for the District Deputy Grand Masters to answer and return to the Grand Secretary on completion of the project.

Besides the above-mentioned Bulletins covering all phases of a project from the first preliminary sketches, through the planning stages and eventually the construction, R.W. Bro. Evans prepared four typical stock drawings of different sized small lodge buildings showing what is required in planning a new building and/or improving an existing one.

Furthermore, during the more than twelve years that he served as Chairman of the Advisory Committee, he examined and passed on nearly two hundred projects. It is, therefore, fitting that we should again point out the colossal contribution that R.W. Bro. Evans made to the Craft, all of which was done gratis.

With all this valuable information available for the asking, I would recommend to Brethren contemplating the building of a new Temple, or remodelling or adding to, an existing Temple, or the purchasing or leasing of an existing building, which they hope will become their new lodge premises, that they should borrow from their Lodge Secretaries, various copies of the Proceedings of Grand Lodge from 1958 to 1969 inclusive. After carefully reading the reports of R.W. Bro. Evans, they will be in a much better position to write to, and request from, the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, a copy of each of the several Bulletins, regulations, method of procedure and the plan or diagram of a Temple with a seating capacity approximating that which they have in mind.

Since I was appointed by the Grand Master as the Chairman, pro tem., of the Advisory Committee, due to the sudden passing of the late R.W. Bro. Geo. T. Evans, I have examined some seven projects. I can not end this report without mentioning and acknowledging the great assistance given me by the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, not only by providing me, from the Grand Lodge files, with the data prepared by R.W. Bro. Evans, but also for giving me, so cheerfully, guidance and invaluable counsel in the modus operandi of the Committee.

In conclusion, it is my hope that the Secretaries and Worshipful Masters of each Lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction, will become aware of, and better acquainted with, the work of our late R.W. Brother, so that if their Lodge should become interested in a building, leasing or remodelling project, they will know that, through the Grand Secretary, valuable and helpful information can and will be provided by Grand Lodge.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted,

E. C. HORWOOD,
Chairman, pro tem., of the
Advisory Committee.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. S. Copus, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Copus, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee is pleased to present the 38th Annual Report of your Grand Lodge Library.

This has been another busy, happy and, we hope, productive year for all connected with your Library. In addition to the seven Toronto District Deputy Grand Masters, your Committee is composed of R.W. Bros. Mel Damp, Edward Langley, Saylor Nixon, and Roly Burns. All have been most active in promoting the use of the Library.

Those Masons who either write or visit us, know how dedicated, loyal and well-informed is our Librarian Bro. William J. McKee. He spends many days in the Library over and above his official hours. He has been assisted during this past year, by a number of volunteers, who staff the Library each noon-hour during the week. We are most grateful for the very real contributions made by these Brethren namely, V.W. Bro. Charles Gulston, W. Bro. John Petherick, Bros. John Curzon, Edward Dwight, Robert Thomas and C. P. Van Norman. V.W. Bro. Charles Gulston, I.P.G.J.D. assisted us in obtaining these volunteers and substituting for them in cases of sickness or holiday. He and Bro. Bob Thomas are to be especially commended, as they have served for the two years we have been open at noon. Many Masons are taking advantage of these new hours.

We have had several difficulties to overcome this year. One problem was how to package safely our books to be mailed. Even more troublesome was the poor and in some cases the damaged way, they would be returned. They are now mailed in re-inforced, padded envelopes that may be used by the recipient in returning them to us.

Another problem was the increase in our Parcel Post mail rates last Fall. This disturbed, or might we say, angered our Librarian, Bro. McKee. He arranged a personal interview with a top ranking official in the Toronto Post Office, to protest, claiming that our Library charges no fees and is non-profit. The result—an almost “believe it or not”—we now mail our books at a

lesser charge than previously paid, and—more interestingly—the borrowers may return them at NO COST, under our special license number. We should be most grateful to Bro. McKee for his indignation, curiosity and ingenuity. The borrowers are now provided with safe, self-addressed, returnable envelopes, which they can forward at no cost to them.

In last year's report we recommended establishing a "bank" of Masonic photographic slides. We find it is much more difficult to obtain suitable ones than we surmised. The three sets we have were popular with the Lodges who showed them. We believe a much greater interest can be created in our Grand Lodge Assemblies if we show the Brethren some of our activities. Consequently it is our hope to have a series of pictures taken on Wednesday, July 15th. These may be borrowed by any Lodge free of charge. If a Lodge wishes to purchase a set, we could arrange this.

Last year we most happily reported a doubling of books borrowed in Toronto and a tripling of those outside Toronto. We, of course, recognized that we should not expect a similar percentage-wise increase this year. However we had hoped for a reasonable increase. Such is not the case. We have had an increase of 11% in Toronto, but a disappointing decrease of 16% outside of Toronto. It might appear that we may have reached a plateau in interest. Your Committee does not agree with this supposition.

To create further interest, we had over 450 attractive 12" x 15" posters printed, giving pertinent information about the Library. There are over 400 Lodge Rooms and/or Temples in our jurisdiction but we have no record of their addresses. Consequently there was considerable difficulty in seeing that each Lodge or Temple received one. Through the kind co-operation of the 39 District Deputy Grand Masters and in particular the help given by R.W. Bro. Gordon S. Elvidge, all now have one.

Along with our Chairman of Masonic Education, R.W. Bro. N. R. Richards, and his predecessors in that office, we appreciate there is intense interest on the part of many Brethren in expanding their Masonic knowledge—if they knew where to obtain it. We published a new catalogue a year ago, listing titles and authors. We question if this is sufficient information.

May we give you an example? For the last two years we have had on our shelves, a brochure titled "Preparing to be a Master", by R.W. Bro. Duncan McKerracher. It is a "jewel" of a book for all officers. It has been borrowed by a few inquisitive Wardens and Masters.

At a large meeting of Toronto Wardens, your Chairman reviewed its contents. We were inundated by requests for it. R.W. Bro. William K. Bailey, our Deputy Grand Master, has produced and revised a new and updated book for Worshipful Masters and Wardens.

From this experience "we deduce this moral"—we should give more information as to the contents of some of the more worthy books. We, therefore, recommend that your next year's Library Committee prepare a booklet, similar to the ones published by the Book-of-the-Month-Club, reviewing a number of our more interesting books.

A greater interest is being shown in our Research Section. V.W. Bro. J. Lawrence Runnalls (our Grand Lodge Bulletin editor) has made a great contribution towards making it easier for our readers to find interesting subjects. He has bound, personally, in seven volumes, Bulletins No.'s 1 to 97 of the Canadian Masonic Research Association. He has listed on the front covers the various subjects discussed therein. Again we recommend to Masonic students the publications of the Quatuor Coronati Lodge.

As reported last year, it is most difficult to procure new, purely Masonic books. A few have been added and we are most grateful for the additional books donated to the Library. May we again stress that we are most anxious to assist Lodges in establishing their own Library and recommend that they contact us before purchasing any books.

Our gratitude goes out to M.W. Bro. Ewart G. Dixon and his staff. Without their help and encouragement our year would not have been as enjoyable or productive. We can again report that your Library is always kept in immaculate condition by the staff of the Masonic Temple Corporation headed by the President, R.W. Bro. Roy E. Baylis. May we also express our appreciation to Miss Edith M. Abbott, secretary of the Corporation. We are again pleased to pay well-deserved tributes to Bro. William J. McKee and our volunteer Librarians for their over 300 visits to the Library. They are indispensable to our usefulness and success.

In retrospect one might say it has been a reasonably pleasing year for your Committee. We have had a few disappointments. We had hoped more District Deputy Grand Masters and other speakers would find help in our Masonic and other inspirational books—that we would have had a greater increase in books borrowed—and that more Lodges would have taken advantage of our facilities on their non-working Emergent nights. However, from the ground work we are laying, possibly this may change in the forthcoming year.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of this Committee.

DUNCAN S. COPUS,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONDITION OF MASONRY

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. W. M. Gordon, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand

Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Gordon, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Again this year, on behalf of your Committee, the pleasure is afforded its Chairman to present to you the picture of Freemasonry as it is reflected in the Reports of all the District Deputies in the Grand Jurisdiction. This picture as it unfolds from this source recounts accomplishments, maintenance of progress or otherwise, and expresses commendation where merited, and possible methods for the composition of difficulties where needed.

Each District Deputy as representative of the Grand Master has his own method of discharging his duties, and it is good that this is so because as the years come and go Masonry is brought home to Members in many different ways. We can perhaps be thankful that all men are not alike, and while the dissemination of Masonic precepts has, down through the years, had a continued tone of uniformity in its presentation, nevertheless it has a different reception by each individual member and its adaptation is according to the development of his mental capacity and moral outlook.

There is, however, noticeable in a good many of the Reports that the habit is becoming widespread for the District Deputy, after the appointment of his officers, the Secretary and the Chaplain, and before starting on his official visits to the Lodges, to hold a meeting with the Masters and Wardens of the District in order to lay out a programme of activity for the year. Your Committee commends this course by the District Deputy because, on the one hand, it engenders a common spirit of endeavour between Grand Lodge and the Worshipful Master and his Officers and, on the other, gives, as well, an opportunity for the District Deputy to acquaint the Lodge Officers with what is expected of them. However, your Committee would remind those taking part that within the bounds of ritual and propriety the Worshipful Master is "to rule and govern" his Lodge. Your Committee is of the view that Lodge Meetings would become pallid affairs indeed if all the Worshipful Masters were directed what to say on each occasion. There must be some discretion left to the Worshipful Master so that the Brethren can obtain some view of the innate worth and ability of their own Worshipful Master.

The sincere and cordial reception accorded each District Deputy as representative of the Grand Master is worthy of note and again emphasizes the great esteem held by all for the Grand Master and his Office. At the same time these displays of cordiality are a tribute to the District Deputy himself for his skill, tolerance and understanding in the discharge of his duties to the Craft.

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Bruce B. Foster, set the tone and pace for a number of receptions held in his honour throughout the Grand Jurisdiction during his first year of Office. At the first of these receptions, held under the auspices of Howard Lodge, No. 391 at Ridgetown in September, 1969, he gave an indication, if any was needed, of his great skill and capacity as a Mason. While the large reception hall was filled to capacity and was most impressive, the address delivered on that occasion by the Grand Master will long be remembered by all present as indicating to the satisfaction of all his understanding of the basic reasons for the existence of our Fraternity. Rt. W. Bro. David J. McIntyre of Ridgetown, the District Deputy for Chatham District, refers to this reception in his Report as follows:

"The highlight of my term came in September when Howard Lodge, No. 391 held a reception in honour of the newly installed Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. Bruce B. Foster. Among the 275 Brethren who joined with us were 5 Past Grand Masters, the Deputy Grand Master, 17 members of the Board, the Grand Senior and Junior Wardens, 12 District Deputies and several other Grand Lodge Officers."

In all the Reports emphasis has been placed on the District Divine Services held throughout the Grand Jurisdiction during the Masonic year, and your Committee desires, on your behalf, to express our gratitude to all the Members of the cloth who have taken part in these Services. It must be remembered that at these services the family and friends of the Brethren are welcomed and undoubtedly the image of Masonry in the community does not suffer, but is enhanced as a result.

Without exception the Ladies' Nights, and there have been many of them held throughout the Grand Jurisdiction, have added much to the colour, and again heightened the image of Freemasonry in many communities during the Masonic year just now drawing to a close. There have been many other social activities beyond the confines of the Lodge Room, but none that enliven like that of the successful Ladies' Night. To those who arrange these functions, we express our gratitude.

We would want to mention in this Report a most important indication of the trend of thinking of Grand Lodge. We refer to the suggestion for the appointment of a District Supervisor or Chairman of Benevolence. It is basic in Masonry that Charity and Benevolence should be uppermost in the minds of Masons and it may be that too much attention has been given to concepts other than those that make Masonry the great Fraternity that it is, and the fundamentals may have been to an extent overlooked. Things of the heart as well as of the mind should be developed in all possible ways so that, working together, a meeting of a Lodge would be looked upon as an exercise in friendship in the fullest sense and with the hand of good fellowship always present. These thoughts are to the end that a Mason should leave his Lodge meeting conscious of the opportunity that is his to lead the Masonic

way of life and according to the principles of the Golden Rule. There are so many facets of this angle of Masonry which the benevolent Mason can develop for his own good and that of his neighbour.

The many centennial celebrations held throughout the Grand Jurisdiction during the past Masonic Year remind us that our Fraternity is now halfway through the second decade of the second century since its organization in 1855. As well it reminds us of the changeless Order to which we belong, changeless because founded on the immutable truths, principles and precepts that will forever be the eternal springs of good moral health and permanency of our Fraternity. These centennial celebrations by the Lodges are becoming more frequent, and, in the same vein, we see recorded the recognition for many of our senior Members in the presentation of 60 Year and 50 Year Buttons. In this connection we quote from the Report of Rt. W. Bro. F. Leonard Southgate, District Deputy for Toronto District No. 5 as follows:

"On each of the Official Visits he advised me of Brethren present whose length of service was noteworthy, which enabled me to convey to such Brethren the felicitations of Grand Lodge."

Again, Rt. W. Bro. Leighton L. McLeod, District Deputy for Toronto District No. 4 in his Report states as follows:

"I was also privileged to attend many receptions and installations; and special nights to which I was invited. I was pleased to be involved in several presentations of 50 year lapel buttons. To chat for a few moments to these veteran members, is a very rewarding experience."

In the foregoing connections your Committee believes the following statistics taken from the records of the 1969/1970 Masonic year would be of interest to the Brethren, covering, inter alia, such matters as the number of Masons entitled to recognition for length of service, the number of new Lodges, and the number of centennial celebrations, namely:

50 Years a Mason	1064
60 Years a Mason	76
70 Years a Mason	4
75 Years a Mason	1
50 Years a Past Master	17
60 Years a Past Master	1
50 Years a Past D.D.G.M.	1

As well, there were two William Mercer Wilson medals awarded for meritorious service. There were two new Lodges under Dispensation, and the total number of Lodges was 635. There were ten 100 year anniversaries celebrated by Lodges during the year. There were three new Lodge buildings dedicated. We might add that the following additional anniversaries were celebrated:

Ancient St. John's, No. 3, celebrated its 175th anniversary.
 Union Lodge, No. 7, celebrated its 170th anniversary.
 St. John's Lodge, No. 35 celebrated its 125th anniversary.

Lodge attendance has again this past year been receiving attention. In this connection it is noted that the urban Lodges continue to experience greater difficulties than do the rural Lodges in maintaining their memberships and it is also noted that the Lodges with the smaller memberships have a greater percentage of members attending the lodge meetings. The conclusion can be drawn from the facts that some restriction might well be placed on the numbers of members in a Lodge either by a voluntary decrease in membership by the Lodge itself, or by some appropriate indication of the judgment of Grand Lodge. In some urban Lodges it could be said that the numbers will decrease as time goes on without any specific rule, by reason of deaths, removal to other centres, and inability to attract new members. In one Report it is recommended that two adjacent rural Lodges amalgamate and in another that the District be divided. Rt. W. Bro. Harry A. Marshall, District Deputy for Nipissing East District says:

"One recommendation I would like to submit is that Haileybury Lodge, No. 485, unite with Silver Lodge, No. 486, because of its geographical position and the scarcity of population in the area. Haileybury Lodge, at the present time, is definitely restricted in enlarging its membership. Haileybury is bound by New Liskeard to the north, Cobalt to the south, and to the east is the lake and to the west is the Indian Reserve. Both Lodges are using the same building in Haileybury and a uniting of the two Lodges would put them in a better financial situation as well as allowing them to grow."

Rt. W. Bro. Fred W. Niemi, District Deputy for Nipissing West District states:

"I concur with the findings of my predecessor and others that Nipissing West District is too expansive, and should be divided into two, comprising nine and eight Lodges respectively. visits alone, and a D.D.G.M., not retired from work, cannot conveniently find time for extra fraternal and social visits. The Presently about five thousand miles travel is necessary for official advantages of division are manifold; more visits to each Lodge; less absence from home; reduced travelling costs; and above all, opportunity for twice as many qualified Past Masters to achieve Grand Lodge rank, greatly needed in this area. Subject to complete approval, this recommendation will be submitted through regular channels to Grand Lodge."

Decline in membership is again a cause of concern to all Masons. As mentioned, the urban Lodges seem to have a greater difficulty in maintaining their membership. It has been noted that Grand Lodge is asking the Districts to pay more attention to Benevolence in Masonry and it may be that in stressing this

feature Masonry may attract applicants. No one reason can be advanced for the decrease in Masonry as some of the reasons may be purely local. Rt. W. Bro. Carl E. VanCamp, District Deputy for Eastern District, in speaking of the lack of membership, advances a reason which is particular to his District, as follows:

"We do, however, have a problem in Eastern District. Our District borders on the Province of Quebec. This part of Quebec is heavily populated and the French-speaking people are rapidly becoming predominant in the eastern part of the District. This causes hardships for several Lodges due to the fact that the availability of prospective candidates is rapidly diminishing."

In all Districts, as has been the case for many years past, Masonic education receives earnest attention and the work of the District and Lodge Chairmen is to be highly commended. The Report of Rt. W. Bro. William Scott, District Deputy for Toronto District, No. 2 was read with interest, particularly in regard to the "Masonic Conference" held at Port Hope. Your Chairman quotes from his Report:

"This Conference was, without a doubt, the most outstanding event of the year. The response by the District Lodges was tremendous. The delegates themselves were enthused beyond expectation. Grand Lodge, through the office of the Chairman of the Committee on Masonic Education for Grand Lodge, will be sent a copy (of the findings of the Conference) as well as all Lodges in the District and all delegates."

The work of the representatives of the Blood Donors' Committee in the various Lodges was again highly successful, although the view has been expressed again this year questioning our participation as a corporate entity in this field which was once left entirely to the Red Cross.

In retrospect, as your Committee finishes its task and looks back through the Masonic year just past, we feel we cannot close this Report without expressing our thanks to the District Deputies, the Secretaries and organizations throughout the Districts for their splendid work, and we are confident that they will have many happy memories of their year of intimate and personal service to the Craft, and, as they depart into the wings of the Masonic stage, will agree with us all that:

Time scatters not the golden leaves of memory
They fade not as the years depart
But grow everlastingly within the gardens of the heart.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

W. M. GORDON,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL DEAD

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. J. Talman, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand

Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Talman, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee appreciates the privilege of having been entrusted with the responsibility of recording our debt and paying tribute to our Fraternal Dead. Our bereavement this year has been particularly great for, as our Grand Master has already told us, we have lost two Past Grand Masters. We have also lost many other Brethren who gave unstinting service to the Craft. As Speculative Masons they built structures of character rather than the stone monuments of the operative Mason. Let us not grieve, however, but rather let each of us, individually, recall the pleasant memories we have of these friends and Brethren who have gone. We cannot tell what they would wish us to say at this time, but we may be sure that they would be happy to think that their good work is being carried on by those who have succeeded them.

Let us recall our debt to these our Departed Brethren as we record the following names:

These Tablet Pages

Are inscribed and fraternally dedicated

in memory of

Our Departed Brethren

M.W. BRO. THOMAS HAMILTON SIMPSON Grand Master, 1947-1949.

Born in Hamilton, 1891.
Died, November 4, 1969.
Initiated in Acacia Lodge, No. 61, Hamilton, 1912.
Worshipful Master, 1926.

M.W. BRO. RUSSELL WILLIAMS TRELEAVEN Grand Master, 1961-1963.

Born in London, 1887.
Died, January 14, 1970.
Initiated in Acacia Lodge, No. 61, Hamilton, 1919.
Worshipful Master, 1937.

R.W. BRO. CHARLES FREDERICK AYERST**District Deputy Grand Master, 1949.**

Born in Thornton, 1897.

Died, October 28, 1969.

Initiated in Thistle Lodge, No. 34, Amherstburg, 1921.

Worshipful Master, 1928.

R.W. BRO. RICHARD COULTON BERKINSHAW**Grand Senior Warden, 1947.**

Born in 1891.

Died, May 4, 1970.

Initiated in Georgina Lodge, No. 343, Toronto, 1929.

Charter Member, Kingsway Lodge, No. 655, Etobicoke, 1935.

Worshipful Master, Georgina Lodge, 1937.

R.W. BRO. ALEX BRECHIN**District Deputy Grand Master, 1947.**

Born in Courtbridge, Scotland, 1889.

Died, November 11, 1969.

Initiated in Keystone Lodge, No. 412, Sault Ste. Marie, 1910.

Worshipful Master, 1917.

R.W. BRO. JOSEPH ERNEST BRYAN**District Deputy Grand Master, 1961.**

Born in Biddulph Township, 1905.

Died, January 15, 1970.

Initiated in Granton Lodge, No. 483, Granton, 1944.

Worshipful Master, 1950 and 1951.

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM IRVING CARROLL**District Deputy Grand Master, 1945.**

Born in Orangeville, 1889.

Died, December 4, 1969.

Initiated in Tudor Lodge, No. 141, Mitchell, 1924.

Worshipful Master, 1933.

R.W. BRO. HENRY H. CLARK**District Deputy Grand Master, 1969.**

Born in Brantford, 1911.

Died, January 24, 1970.

Initiated in Brant Lodge, No. 45, Brantford, 1945.

Worshipful Master, 1955.

R.W. BRO. EDWIN MACAULAY CLIPSHAM**District Deputy Grand Master, 1919.**

Born in Gravenhurst, 1883.

Died, September 19, 1969.

Initiated in Golden Rule Lodge, No. 409, Gravenhurst, 1909.

Worshipful Master, 1915 and 1927.

R.W. BRO. VICTOR KITCHENER CROXFORD**District Deputy Grand Master, 1957.**

Born in Walthamstow, Essex, England, 1902.

Died, December 29, 1969.

Initiated in Minden Lodge, No. 253, Kingston, 1927.

Affiliated with Ionic Lodge, No. 461, Rainy River, 1933, 1949.

Worshipful Master, Ionic Lodge, 1938.

R.W. BRO. ROSS LEONARD DOBBIN

District Deputy Grand Master, 1945.

Born in Peterborough, 1883.

Died, May 10, 1970.

Initiated in Peterborough Lodge, No. 155, Peterborough, 1906.

Worshipful Master, 1924.

R.W. BRO. WILBERT C. DRURY

District Deputy Grand Master, 1948.

Died, June 6, 1970.

Initiated in Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 334, Arthur, 1923.

Worshipful Master, 1929.

R.W. BRO. JOHN BIRD ELLIOTT

District Deputy Grand Master, 1938.

Born in Tweed, 1883.

Died, January 6, 1970.

Initiated in Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 119, Bath, 1913.

Worshipful Master, 1919.

R.W. BRO. GEORGE THOMAS EVANS

Hon. Grand Senior Warden, 1961.

Born in Hamilton, 1889.

Died, November 22, 1969.

Initiated in Acacia Lodge, No. 61, Hamilton, 1920.

Affiliated with Burlington Lodge, No. 165, Burlington, 1924.

Charter Member, Brant Lodge, No. 663, Burlington, 1949.

Worshipful Master, Acacia Lodge, 1928.

R.W. BRO. WALTER WALLACE FINNEY

District Deputy Grand Master, 1937.

Born in Kirkfield, 1883.

Died, November 2, 1969.

Initiated in Victoria Lodge, No. 398, Kirkfield, 1914.

Worshipful Master, 1921.

R.W. BRO. EDWIN LUTHER GOTHARD

District Deputy Grand Master, 1943.

Born in England, 1888.

Died, December 29, 1969.

Initiated in Reba Lodge, No. 515, Brantford, 1917.

Worshipful Master, 1926.

R.W. BRO. FREDERICK WILLIAM GREGORY

District Deputy Grand Master, 1952.

Born in Sault Ste. Marie, 1902.

Died, January 11, 1970.

Initiated in Clifton Lodge, No. 254, Niagara Falls, 1931.

Worshipful Master, 1939.

R.W. BRO. THOMAS WALLACE HOUTBY

District Deputy Grand Master, 1941.

Born in St. Catharines, 1894.

Died October 27, 1969.

Initiated in Cope-Stone Lodge, No. 373, Welland, 1922.

Worshipful Master, 1930.

R.W. BRO. JOHN JACKSON
District Deputy Grand Master, 1951.

Born in Gravenhurst, 1898.
Died January 26, 1970.
Initiated in Golden Rule Lodge, No. 409, Gravenhurst, 1928.
Worshipful Master, 1937.

R.W. BRO. ERNEST LLOYD JAMES
Grand Senior Warden, 1958.

Born in Picton, 1904.
Died, January 13, 1970.
Initiated in St. George's Lodge, No. 15, St. Catharines, 1940.
Affiliated with Kilwinning Lodge, No. 565, Toronto, 1944.
Worshipful Master, Kilwinning Lodge, 1952.

R.W. BRO. ROY P. KENT
District Deputy Grand Master, 1925.

Born in Southwold Township, 1884.
Died, October 19, 1969.
Initiated in Moore Lodge, No. 294, Courtright, 1910.
Affiliated with Tuscan Lodge, No. 437, Sarnia, 1945.
Worshipful Master, Moore Lodge, 1924.

R.W. BRO. GEORGE MERIDITH LINTON
District Deputy Grand Master, 1929.

Born in Orono, 1894.
Died, September 22, 1969.
Initiated in Orono Lodge, No. 325, Orono, 1922.
Worshipful Master, 1926, 1927.

R.W. BRO. ALLEN CROMARTY MASON
District Deputy Grand Master, 1957.

Born in Belgrave.
Died, March 24, 1970.
Initiated in Grand River Lodge, No. 151, Kitchener, 1926.
Charter Member, Temple Lodge, No. 690, Kitchener, 1957.
Worshipful Master, Grand River Lodge, 1936.

R.W. BRO. HILTON McCARTNEY
District Deputy Grand Master, 1940.

Born in 1886.
Died, November 6, 1969.
Initiated in Star-in-the-East Lodge, No. 164, Wellington, 1920.
Affiliated with Prince Edward Lodge, No. 18, Picton, 1942.
Worshipful Master, Star-in-the-East Lodge, 1926.

R.W. BRO. GARNET SHUTER RETALLACK
District Deputy Grand Master, 1944.

Born in 1884.
Died, October 16, 1969.
Initiated in Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 371, Ottawa, 1905.
Worshipful Master, Lodges No. 92 and 114, Quebec.

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM LEWIS RIVERS
District Deputy Grand Master, 1956.

Born in St. John, New Brunswick, 1912.
Died, August 20, 1969.
Initiated in Howard Lodge, No. 391, Ridgetown, 1943.
Worshipful Master, 1950.

R.W. BRO. GEORGE HERBERT RYERSON

District Deputy Grand Master, 1922.

Born in Brantford, 1878.

Died, November 1, 1969.

Initiated in Brant Lodge, No. 45, Brantford, 1906.

Worshipful Master, 1912.

R.W. BRO. JOHN NORMAN SALTER

Grand Junior Warden, 1957.

Born in Carleton Place, 1889.

Died, August 15, 1969.

Initiated in Tuscan Lodge, No. 28, Quebec, 1915.

Affiliated with St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 560, Ottawa, 1920.

Worshipful Master, St. Andrew's Lodge, 1925.

R.W. BRO. FRANK THOMAS SHAVER

District Deputy Grand Master, 1917.

Born in Osnabruck Township, 1891.

Died, December 10, 1969.

Initiated in Farran-Ault Lodge, No. 256, Ingleside, 1908.

Worshipful Master, 1913, 1914, 1923.

R.W. BRO. PERCY HARDING SPARLING

District Deputy Grand Master, 1956.

Born in Gorrie, 1903.

Died, January 24, 1970.

Initiated in Doric Lodge, No. 455, Little Current, 1924.

Affiliated with Keystone Lodge, No. 412, Sault Ste. Marie, 1938.

Worshipful Master, Keystone Lodge, 1945.

R.W. BRO. DONALD MATHESON SUTHERLAND

District Deputy Grand Master, 1914.

Born in Norwich, 1879.

Died, June 4, 1970.

Initiated in St. John's Lodge, No. 104, Norwich, 1904.

Affiliated with Blenheim Lodge, No. 108, Princeton, 1908.

Worshipful Master, Blenheim Lodge, 1912 and 1913.

R.W. BRO. DONALD ROY YOUNG

District Deputy Grand Master, 1944.

Born in Thamesford.

Died, November 13, 1969.

Initiated in Granite Lodge, No. 446, Fort Frances, 1920.

Affiliated with Manitou Lodge, No. 631, Emo, 1927.

Worshipful Master, Manitou Lodge, 1930.

V.W. BRO. JAMES HENRY AITCHISON

Grand Steward, 1948.

Born in Teeswater, 1901.

Died, October 24, 1969.

Initiated in Liberty Lodge, No. 419, Sarnia, 1925.

Worshipful Master, 1933.

V.W. BRO. GORDON REX BLACK

Grand Steward, 1954.

Born in Eldon Township, 1907.

Died, March 31, 1970.

Initiated in Brock Lodge, No. 354, Cannington, 1945.

Worshipful Master, 1952.

V.W. BRO. CHARLES CHESTER BUSCHLEN**Grand Steward, 1957.**

Born in 1887.

Died, April 19, 1970.

Initiated in Tuscan Lodge, No. 541, Toronto, 1918.

Charter Member, Sunnyside Lodge, No. 582, Toronto, 1921.

Worshipful Master, Sunnyside Lodge, 1924.

V.W. BRO. ERNEST J. CALL**Assistant Grand Secretary, 1954.**

Born in 1891.

Died, August 20, 1969.

Initiated in Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65, Toronto, 1919.

Worshipful Master, 1928.

V.W. BRO. HAROLD JAMES N. CANNON**Grand Steward, 1964.**

Born in 1904.

Died, January 16, 1970.

Initiated in Temple Lodge, No. 525, Toronto, 1928.

Worshipful Master, 1945.

V.W. BRO. THOMAS WILFRED CHAPLIN**Grand Steward, 1952.**

Born in Seymour Township, Northumberland County, 1896.

Died, August 28, 1969.

Initiated in Hastings Lodge, No. 633, Hastings, 1926.

Affiliated with Clementi Lodge, No. 313, Lakefield, 1936.

Worshipful Master, Clementi Lodge, 1945.

V.W. BRO. JOHN WILLIAM CRAVEN**Grand Steward, 1963.**

Born in 1882.

Died, March 21, 1970.

Initiated in Dundurn Lodge, No. 475, Hamilton, 1918.

Worshipful Master, 1932.

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM WEIR CREIGHTON**Grand Steward, 1946.**

Born in 1893.

Died, December 6, 1969.

Initiated in Melita Lodge, No. 605, Thornhill, 1923.

Worshipful Master, 1937.

V.W. BRO. CHARLES HERBERT CUNNINGHAM**Grand Steward, 1954.**

Born in Hamilton, 1890.

Died, September 12, 1969.

Initiated in Temple Lodge, No. 324, Hamilton, 1917.

Worshipful Master, 1926.

V.W. BRO. JAMES EVERETT DALES**Grand Steward, 1937.**

Born in Mersea Twsp, 1889.

Died, December 31, 1969.

Initiated in Xenophon Lodge, No. 448, Wheatley, 1921.

Worshipful Master, 1928, 1939.

V.W. BRO. WALTER DAVID DEVERELL
Grand Steward, 1950.

Born in Sebright, 1900.
Died, November 25, 1969.
Initiated in Victoria Lodge, No. 398, Kirkfield, 1921.
Worshipful Master, 1936.

V.W. BRO. DOUGLAS SCOTT ERB
Grand Steward, 1952.

Born in Elmira, 1894.
Died, September 8, 1969.
Initiated in Cedar Lodge, No. 270, Oshawa, 1924.
Affiliated with Glenrose Lodge, No. 628, Elmira, 1925.
Worshipful Master, Glenrose Lodge, 1931.

V.W. BRO. ERNEST J. EVELEIGH
Grand Organist, 1960.

Born in England, 1899.
Died, October 6, 1969.
Initiated in The Rising Sun Lodge, No. 129, Aurora, 1925.
Worshipful Master, 1939.

V.W. BRO. ROBERT IRVIN FERGUSON
Grand Senior Deacon, 1961.

Born in Morris Township, Huron County, 1895.
Died, November 28, 1969.
Initiated in Ontario Lodge, No. 521, Windsor, 1919.
Affiliated with Huron-Bruce Lodge, No. 611, Toronto, 1927.
Worshipful Master, Huron-Bruce Lodge, 1938.

V.W. BRO. WILBERT VICKERS FOREMAN
Grand Steward, 1958.

Born in Collingwood, 1898.
Died, January 21, 1970.
Initiated in Pythagoras Lodge, No. 137, Meaford, 1932.
Affiliated with Manito Lodge, No. 90, Collingwood, 1935.
Worshipful Master, Manito Lodge, 1945.

V.W. BRO. CECIL VICTOR FOX
Grand Steward, 1960.

Born in St. Catharines, 1912.
Died, November 16, 1969.
Initiated in Mount Olivet Lodge, No. 300, Thorndale, 1948.
Worshipful Master, 1955.

V.W. BRO. WALTER GEORGE FRISBY
Grand Steward, 1965.

Born in 1889.
Died, May 24, 1970.
Initiated in Richmond Lodge, No. 23, Richmond Hill, 1911.
Charter Member, St. Clair Lodge, No. 577, Thornhill, 1921.
Worshipful Master, Richmond Lodge, 1925.

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM DANIEL GRAHAM
Grand Director of Ceremonies, 1963.

Born in Parkhill, 1911.
Died, October 31, 1969.
Initiated in St. John's Lodge, No. 20, London, 1939.
Worshipful Master, 1948.

V.W. BRO. ERNEST JOHN HAMM**Grand Steward, 1941.**

Born in Orono, 1881.

Died, June 20, 1969.

Initiated in Orono Lodge, No. 325, Orono, 1918.

Worshipful Master, 1922, 1940.

V.W. BRO. STEWART PERCIVAL HANNAH**Grand Steward, 1959.**

Born in Oakville, 1894.

Died, August 3, 1969.

Initiated in Oakville Lodge, No. 400, Oakville, 1924.

Charter Member, Claude M. Kent Lodge, No. 681, Oakville, 1952.

Charter Member, Trafalgar Lodge, No. 712, Oakville, 1964.

Worshipful Master, Oakville Lodge, 1930.

V.W. BRO. CECIL LEONARD HAYWARD**Grand Standard Bearer, 1945.**

Born in England, 1892.

Died, December 9, 1969.

Initiated in Nitetis Lodge, No. 444, Creemore, 1933.

Worshipful Master, 1941.

V.W. BRO. HAROLD SHELDON HILLIER**Grand Steward, 1950.**

Born in Hawkesville, 1900.

Died, January 29, 1970.

Initiated in Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 600, Etobicoke, 1933.

Worshipful Master, 1941.

V.W. BRO. JAMES ROY JOHNSTON**Grand Steward, 1947.**

Born in Essex, 1897.

Died, October 5, 1969.

Initiated in Central Lodge, No. 402, Essex, 1920.

Worshipful Master, 1927, 1938.

V.W. BRO. FREDERICK WILLIAM McCOLL**Grand Steward, 1955.**

Born in 1883.

Died, September 25, 1969.

Initiated in St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 16, Toronto, 1922.

Worshipful Master, 1934.

V.W. BRO. ROBERT ANGUS McDOUGALL**Grand Steward, 1954.**

Born in 1891.

Died, May 15, 1970.

Initiated in St. Paul's Lodge, No. 107, Lambeth, 1917.

Worshipful Master, 1921.

V.W. BRO. JOHN MURRAY McEACHERN**Grand Organist, 1957.**

Born in Mount Forest, 1903.

Died, March 21, 1970.

Initiated in North Gate Lodge, No. 591, Toronto, 1939.

Worshipful Master, 1947.

V.W. BRO. RUSSELL JOHN McKELLAR
Grand Steward, 1948.

Born in Tiverton, 1888.
Died, September 11, 1969.
Initiated in Bruce Lodge, No. 341, Tiverton, 1915.
Worshipful Master, 1921.

V.W. BRO. GEORGE MALCOLM McLEOD
Grand Steward, 1958.

Born in Stratton, 1916.
Died, December 25, 1969.
Initiated in Connaught Lodge, No. 511, Thunder Bay, 1947.
Affiliated with Atikokan Lodge, No. 668, Atikokan, 1951.
Worshipful Master, Atikokan Lodge, 1957.

V.W. BRO. JOHN FINLAY McRAE
Grand Steward, 1939.

Died, October 4, 1969.
Initiated in Avonmore Lodge, No. 452, Avonmore, 1918.
Worshipful Master, 1923.

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM EDWARD MIDDLETON
Grand Steward, 1950.

Born in England, 1897.
Died, January 30, 1970.
Initiated in Lebanon Forest Lodge, No. 133, Exeter, 1928.
Worshipful Master, 1937.

V.W. BRO. GEORGE MITCHELL
Grand Steward, 1956.

Born in Cowdenbeath, Scotland.
Died, May 15, 1970.
Initiated in Kilwinning Lodge, No. 565, Toronto, 1924.
Worshipful Master, 1936.

V.W. BRO. EDWIN JAMES MORTON
Grand Steward, 1946.

Born in McGillvary, Ontario, 1894.
Died, January 26, 1970.
Initiated in Border Cities Lodge, No. 554, Windsor, 1929.
Worshipful Master, 1942.

V.W. BRO. CHARLES NEAL
Grand Steward, 1936.

Born in Liverpool, England, 1891.
Died, January 10, 1970.
Initiated in Porcupine Lodge, No. 506, South Porcupine, 1915.
Affiliated with Englehart Lodge, No. 534, Englehart, 1919.
Worshipful Master, Englehart Lodge, 1924.

V.W. BRO. JOSEPH ALLIN PENFOUND
Grand Steward, 1967.

Born in Courtice, 1895.
Died, September 22, 1969.
Initiated in Cedar Lodge, No. 270, Oshawa, 1941.
Worshipful Master, 1953.

V.W. BRO. JAMES ANDREW PETRIE
Grand Steward, 1956.

Born in McKillop Township, County of Huron, 1892.
Died, November 9, 1969.
Initiated in Britannia Lodge, No. 170, Seaforth, 1918.
Worshipful Master, 1923.

V.W. BRO. CHAUNCEY RENSHAW**Grand Steward, 1961.**

Born in Buffalo, New York, 1893.

Died, March 20, 1970.

Initiated in Enniskillen Lodge, No. 185, York, 1915.

Worshipful Master, 1919.

V.W. BRO. JOHN ERNEST ROBERTSON**Grand Steward, 1940.**

Born in 1885.

Died, May 1, 1970.

Initiated in St. Alban's Lodge, No. 200, Mt. Forest, 1914.

Charter Member, Wellington Lodge, No. 635, Toronto, 1926.

Worshipful Master, Wellington Lodge, 1930.

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM STANZEL**Grand Steward, 1961.**

Born in Carleton Place, 1899.

Died, April 9, 1970.

Initiated in St. Francis Lodge, No. 24, Smiths Falls, 1943.

Worshipful Master, 1953.

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM JAMES STEWART**Grand Senior Deacon, 1934.**

Born in Toronto, 1889.

Died, September 28, 1969.

Initiated in Stevenson Lodge, No. 218, Toronto, 1913.

Charter Member, Ulster Lodge, No. 537, Toronto, 1917.

Worshipful Master, Ulster Lodge, 1928.

V.W. BRO. RAY WILKINS SWANTON**Grand Steward, 1939.**

Born in Toronto, 1895.

Died, March 27, 1970.

Initiated in St. Johns Lodge, No. 75, Toronto, 1920.

Affiliated with Lake Shore Lodge, No. 645, Mimico, 1927.

Worshipful Master, Lake Shore Lodge, 1932.

V.W. BRO. CLIFFORD TEETZEL**Grand Steward, 1958.**

Born in Highgate, 1894.

Died, November 17, 1969.

Initiated in Highgate Lodge, No. 336, Highgate, 1927.

Worshipful Master, 1940.

V.W. BRO. ERIC CHARLES TRAPP**Grand Standard Bearer, 1961.**

Born in Plymouth, Devonshire, England, 1912.

Died, December 28, 1969.

Initiated in Pembroke Lodge, No. 128, Pembroke, 1950.

Charter Member, Atomic Lodge, No. 686, Deep River, 1957.

Worshipful Master, Atomic Lodge, 1958, 1959.

V.W. BRO. MAURICE OGILVIE TREMAYNE**Grand Steward, 1930.**

Born in 1895.

Died, November 28, 1969.

Initiated in Malone Lodge, No. 512, Sutton West, 1919.

Worshipful Master, 1925.

V.W. BRO. ROSS VELMER TUCK

Grand Steward, 1947.

Born in London, 1911.

Died, October 1, 1969.

Initiated in King Solomon's Lodge, No. 43, Woodstock, 1937.

Worshipful Master, 1945.

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM LOUIS WATSON

Grand Steward, 1966.

Born in Beeton, 1923.

Died, January 27, 1970.

Initiated in Spry Lodge, No. 385, Beeton, 1945.

Worshipful Master, 1953.

V.W. BRO. ROBERT JOHN WILLIAMS

Grand Steward, 1967.

Born in Wales, 1887.

Died, March 4, 1970.

Initiated in Birch Cliff Lodge, No. 612, Scarborough, 1934.

Worshipful Master, 1945.

V.W. BRO. ARCHIBALD WRIGHT

Grand Steward, 1958.

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, 1885.

Died, May 1, 1970.

Initiated in King Hiram Lodge, No. 566, Toronto, 1920.

Worshipful Master, 1939.

R.W. BRO. HOWITT SHERA CHASE

District Deputy Grand Master, 1944.

Born in Port Arthur, 1889.

Died, July 20, 1970.

Initiated in Shuniah Lodge, No. 287, Thunder Bay, 1912.

Charter Member, Thunder Bay Lodge, No. 618, Thunder Bay, 1922.

Worshipful Master, Thunder Bay Lodge, 1926.

R.W. BRO. WALTER HODGINS GIBSON

District Deputy Grand Master, 1941.

Born in St. Catharines, 1896.

Died, July 9, 1970.

Initiated in King Hiram Lodge, No. 78, Tillsonburg, 1921.

Charter Member, Ashlar Lodge, No. 701, Tillsonburg, 1959.

Worshipful Master, King Hiram Lodge, 1931.

R.W. BRO. NORMAN MACDONALD

Assistant Grand Chaplain, 1955.

Born in North Uist, Scotland, 1892.

Died, June 30, 1970.

Initiated in St. John's Lodge, No. 3, Manitoba.

Affiliated with The Barton Lodge, No. 6, Stoney Creek, 1933.

Worshipful Master, The Barton Lodge, 1945.

R.W. BRO. ALLEN CROMARTY MASON
District Deputy Grand Master, 1954.

Born in Belgrave, 1893.
Died, March 24, 1970.
Initiated in Grand River Lodge, No. 151, Kitchener, 1926.
Charter Member, Temple Lodge, No. 690, Kitchener, 1957.
Worshipful Master, Temple Lodge, 1957.

R.W. BRO. LEIGHTON McDERMID
District Deputy Grand Master, 1953.

Born in Simcoe County, 1899.
Died, January 16, 1970.
Initiated in Manito Lodge, No. 90, Collingwood, 1925.
Affiliated with Wardrobe Lodge, No. 555, Hamilton, 1930.
Affiliated with Wentworth Lodge, No. 166, Stoney Creek, 1937.
Worshipful Master, Wentworth Lodge, 1948.

R.W. BRO. JOHN ERNEST PIERCY
District Deputy Grand Master, 1959.

Born in Sault Ste. Marie, 1907.
Died, December 8, 1969.
Initiated in The Barton Lodge, No. 6, Stoney Creek, 1931.
Charter Member, Battlefield Lodge, No. 714, Stoney Creek, 1964.
Worshipful Master, The Barton Lodge, 1948.

V.W. BRO. MORLEY RUSKIN JAQUES
Ass't. Grand Director of Ceremonies, 1967.

Born in Hickson, 1906.
Died, June 14, 1970.
Initiated in Hillcrest Lodge, No. 594, Hamilton, 1942.
Worshipful Master, 1951.

V.W. BRO. HARRY PERCIVAL PHILLIPS
Grand Pursuivant, 1953.

Born in Toronto, 1885.
Died, June 30th, 1970.
Initiated in The Beaches Lodge, No. 473, Scarborough, 1911.
Affiliated with Acacia Lodge, No. 430, Toronto, 1918.
Worshipful Master, Acacia Lodge, 1927.

V.W. BRO. JOHN JAMES STEWART
Grand Steward, 1948.

Born in Toronto, 1885.
Died, July 14, 1970.
Initiated in Windsor Lodge, No. 403, Windsor, 1910.
Affiliated with The Barton Lodge, No. 6, Stoney Creek, 1914.
Worshipful Master, The Barton Lodge, 1920.

V.W. BRO. ROBERT WILLIAM TURNER
Grand Steward, 1935.

Born in England, 1895.
Died, July 27, 1970.
Initiated in Corinthian Lodge, No. 513, Hamilton, 1918.
Worshipful Master, 1930.

V.W. BRO. JOHN WESLEY WALKER
Assistant Grand Organist, 1958.

Born in 1912.
Died, November 27, 1968.
Initiated in Otter Lodge, No. 504, Lombardy, 1933.
Charter Member, Corinthian Lodge, No. 657, Kirkland Lake, 1946.
Affiliated with Nipissing Lodge, No. 420, North Bay, 1965.
Worshipful Master, Corinthian Lodge, 1950.

Your Committee thanks the District Deputy Grand Masters for supplying the information required for this report and the Grand Secretary and his staff who drew it together and prepared it for the press. Their assistance was immeasurable.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

JAMES J. TALMAN,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. B. M. McCall, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. McCall, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is again a pleasure for me to submit the report of your Committee on Warrants for the year ended April 30th, 1970. Your Committee included M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, R.W. Bros. T. E. Greenaway, E. H. Guthrie, B. E. Rudman, D. J. McIntyre, M. E. Morrow, C. D. Hay, W. E. C. Wilson.

Applications for Warrants have been received from two Lodges. These Lodges have been operating under dispensation granted by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master.

It was gratifying to receive these applications. Your Committee is strongly of the opinion that the growth in the number of Lodges in our Grand Jurisdiction is desirable, in fact, necessary for the well-being of the Craft. We, therefore, urge interested Brethren to encourage the institution of New Lodges where, after due consideration, such appears to be desirable. We would again remind the Brethren that members of smaller Lodges have more opportunity to participate in the work of the Lodge and that such participation is likely to increase the general interest of the members.

The records of the Lodges applying for warrants were again excellent—all complied with the regulations of Grand Lodge. Due to the wisdom of our former Chairman and his Committee on Warrants and the approval of Grand Lodge, all first record books were supplied by Grand Lodge to the two new Lodges under dispensation. The excellence of the records examined emphasized

the wisdom of selecting an experienced and well-skilled Brother to serve as Secretary of the new Lodge.

Having examined the petitions, books, and records of the two Lodges presently under dispensation, your Committee recommends that Warrants be issued to the following Lodges:

- (A) Bytown Lodge U.D. Ottawa, instituted October 11th, 1969, to be numbered 721 and placed in Ottawa District No. 2.
- (B) Concord Lodge U.D. Hespeler, instituted October 20th, 1969, to be numbered 722 and placed in Wellington District.

Your Committee wishes to express appreciation to the Secretaries of the two new Lodges, R.W. Bro. Wm. McVittie, of Concord Lodge, U.D. and Wor. Bro. Thos. Taylor of Bytown U.D. for the completeness and excellent legibility of the books and records presented to us, and we congratulate them both for work well done.

It was interesting to note, a firm foundation was laid for these two Lodges with Bytown Lodge U.D. Ottawa, having 39 charter members and Concord Lodge U.D. Hespeler, with 56 charter members, recorded on their petition.

Your Committee also recommends:

1. That copies of lodge summonses should be retained and periodically bound. This is a small effort and enables interesting data in connection with the Lodge to be available in an accessible form.

2. That all Lodges appoint an interested Brother to record the history of the Lodge each year. We suggest that a plan be developed which will assure that such historical notes will be completed each year and placed with the records of the Lodge.

3. That consideration be given by every Lodge to the provision of a fireproof receptacle which will accommodate the Warrant, the minute book, the by-laws, the membership ledger and the history of the Lodge. The Warrant and all records of a Lodge become increasingly valuable as the years pass. It must be realized that the originals, if lost or destroyed, can never be replaced.

4. That all Lodge Secretaries take advantage of the desirability of making several marginal notes in the Minute Book indicating the subject matter of each paragraph. This practice will prove useful in obtaining information quickly regarding items recorded in the minutes.

As a last general recommendation we would urge Lodge Secretaries who have the opportunity of being in the City of Hamilton to visit our Grand Lodge Office, not only to view the beauty of its surroundings but to become better acquainted with all Grand Lodge procedure. We can assure you M.W. Bro. Dixon, our Grand Secretary, or any of his staff will extend to you a warm welcome. Matters which may have become a problem to Lodge Secretaries from time to time may be reviewed and better understood.

Finally, your Committee wish to extend felicitations to these new Lodges and we express the hope that an especial measure of success will attend the efforts of their officers and members.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

BRUCE M. McCALL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PRINTING AND SUPPLIES

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. B. Sainsbury, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Sainsbury, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Printing and Supplies, consisting of Rt. Wor. Bros. C. E. VanCamp, L. J. Froud, F. W. Niemi, E. M. Taeger, T. L. Prentice and the Chairman, begs leave to submit the report on expenditures coming under the jurisdiction of the Committee for the year ended April 30th, 1970, as follows:

Constitutions for resale	\$ 3,927.00	
Proceedings and Postage	5,727.14	
Grand Lodge Bulletins (3 issues and postage)	5,343.74	
Printed forms, circulars, office stationery and supplies	\$3,469.93	
Special shipping envelopes	460.07	
New membership registers	791.45	
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Works for resale		5,072.74
Funeral Services for resale		541.00
Installation Ceremonies for resale		334.95

Syllabus for Masonic Education	152.85
Special booklets published by the Masonic Education Committee and postage	362.19
Fraternal Reviews (2,900)	1,414.35
Preliminary Reports (3,500)	2,228.52
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	\$29,825.93

The total of expenditures listed above reveals an increase of \$2,425 over the already high figure noted by your Committee in their report last year. There are, however, valid reasons for this increase. Just over \$2,000 covers three non-recurring items which should be disregarded in a close comparison of year to year expenditures. Quantities of special shipping envelopes (used in bulk mailing of Grand Lodge Bulletins to the constituent Lodges) and new membership registers have been purchased to fill requirements for many years. Cost of the latter in particular would be considered moderate on a per annum basis. A substantial overall saving has been effected by ordering a larger number, having in mind the special ruling and binding required. Also included under office stationery is an amount of \$902 representing accumulated sales tax not charged through error by our printer on certain work turned out for Grand Lodge. This error had gone undetected for several years until found by government auditors during a recent inspection.

Your Committee's 1969 report noted that a repeat order had been placed for Works purchased for resale. The cost at \$5,072 included in this review is only a few dollars higher than the original order. Purchase of Funeral Services for resale at \$541 contributes to the increased costs in the current period but is an item which has not appeared in many years. The increase of \$665 in the cost of Fraternal Reviews and Preliminary Reports is partly offset by a reduction in the amount spent by the Masonic Education Committee for their special printings.

Despite the substantial increase noted in the present report your Committee is satisfied that orders for printing continue to receive careful scrutiny as to quantity and cost.

The Chairmen of the various Committees are to be commended for the prompt dispatch of their annual reports and the means taken to deliver them in a difficult period.

This Committee again acknowledges with thanks the assistance so ably given by the Grand Secretary and his staff.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

JOHN B. SAINSBURY,
Chairman.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Grand Master announced that Wor. Bro. L. J. Scrutton had requested that his nomination as a candidate for the office of Grand Senior Warden be withdrawn.

CALLED OFF

At 4.30 p.m. the Grand Master declared the afternoon session of Grand Lodge closed, to resume labor at 9 a.m. on the following morning.

CALLED ON

Grand Lodge resumed labor at 9.05 a.m., Thursday, July 16th, the Grand Master on the Throne.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

The report was presented by R.W. Bro. R. G. Truscott, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Truscott, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:—

Your Committee on Credentials begs to report:

There are on the Register of Grand Lodge Warranted Lodges represented at this Communication:—

By Regular Officers	501
By Proxies	71
By Past Masters	29
TOTAL LODGES REPRESENTED	601
Total number of delegates registered	3410
With a total vote of	3932

All of which is fraternally submitted.

ROBERT G. TRUSCOTT,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

R.W. Bro. Robert Strachan, Chairman, presented the Report of the Committee of Scrutineers, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Strachan, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee of Scrutineers, having been duly sworn in by R.W. Bro. G. J. McQueen begs to report the result of the Elections as follows:

Grand Senior Warden	James Speirs
Grand Junior Warden	K. L. Luther
Grand Treasurer	M. C. Hooper
Grand Registrar	G. R. Bruce

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

E. J. Langley
R. E. Davies
E. W. Nancekivell
H. O. Polk
B. M. McCall
J. J. Talman
R. M. Gunsolus

All of which is fraternally submitted.

ROBERT STRACHAN
Chairman.

The Grand Master declared the above brethren duly elected.

The Grand Master thanked R.W. Bros. Truscott and Strachan and all those brethren who had assisted them, for their valued services rendered to Grand Lodge.

GUESTS SPEAK

During the sessions the following distinguished guests, at the request of the Grand Master, addressed Grand Lodge.

M.W. Bro. G. Egerton Brown, Grand Master of Quebec.
M.W. Bro. Herbert H. Jaynes, Grand Master of Massachusetts.

R.W. Bro. Hiram P. Ball, Grand Master of Pennsylvania.
M.W. Bro. Herbert L. Middleton, Jr., Grand Master of South Carolina.

M.W. Bro. William B. Stansbury, Jr., Grand Master of Maryland.

M.W. Bro. J. L. Rankin, Grand Master of Manitoba.

M.W. Bro. Carl O. Carlson, Grand Master of Connecticut.

R.W. Bro. Lloyd S. Cochran, Deputy Grand Master of New York.

R.W. Bro. Don Thomson, Deputy Grand Master of Ohio.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. M. C. Hooper, Chairman. On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Hooper, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Grievances and Appeals presents its report in the following seven parts:

1. LORNE LODGE, No. 622, vs. BRO. CHARLES DAVID STUART.

This case was outlined in the Proceedings of 1968 at p. 208 and was further dealt with at the Annual Communication of 1969 as reported in the 1969 Proceedings at p. 208.

Bro. Charles David Stuart had been convicted of fraud in a Toronto court in 1962. He was tried and suspended by his lodge and was notified by Grand Lodge to attend at the Annual Communication of 1969, to show cause why he should not be expelled. He did appear with counsel and your Committee was sufficiently impressed by their statement to recommend that the case should stand over for action until this Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

He has again appeared before your Committee and has satisfied us that, having paid his debt to society, he has successfully re-established himself in the community where he has resided for the past two years. He is honourably self-employed. His family has loyally stood with him throughout a trying period and your Committee sees no good reason for continuing his suspension from Masonry. The Committee accordingly recommends that the suspension of Bro. Charles David Stuart be terminated and that he be restored to the status of a non-affiliated brother under Rule 59 respecting Trials.

2. WATERLOO LODGE, No. 539, vs. BRO. STEWART L. GIEL.

This case came before your Committee in 1969 and the facts are stated in the 1969 Proceedings at p. 209.

The accused had been convicted on five charges under Section 296 of the Criminal Code and was sentenced to terms of imprisonment. He had been suspended from membership by his lodge with a recommendation of expulsion.

Your Committee concurred in the findings of the lodge and on its report Grand Lodge directed that Bro. Stewart L. Geil be notified to appear at this Communication to show cause why he should not be expelled.

He has been so notified. He has not appeared. Your Committee, therefore, recommends that Bro. Stewart L. Geil be expelled.

3. ALGONQUIN LODGE, No. 536 vs. BRO. JAMES A. DUKE, E.A.

The facts of this case appear in the Proceedings of 1969 at p. 209.

Bro. James A. Duke had been convicted by the District Judge at Sudbury of several crimes including bank robbery while armed and was sentenced to seven years in penitentiary.

After a Masonic Trial, Algonquin Lodge suspended him indefinitely and recommended his expulsion.

Grand Lodge directed that the accused be notified to appear at this Annual Communication to show cause why he should not be expelled. In view of the duration of the term of imprisonment, the futility of adopting the usual show cause procedure and the glaring nature of the offences, your Committee recommends that Grand Lodge waive any formal irregularity in the proceedings and enact the expulsion of the accused without further delay.

4. CEDAR LODGE, No. 270, vs. BRO. JAMES STANLEY BRYNING.

This case came before Grand Lodge at the Annual Communication of 1969 and is reported in the 1969 Proceedings at p. 210.

The accused was charged in his lodge with unmasonic conduct under Rule 1(s). After trial, in which the written acknowledgement of guilt by the accused was read, Bro. Bryning was found guilty of unmasonic conduct and was suspended by his lodge with a recommendation of expulsion.

On the recommendation of your Committee, Grand Lodge directed that Bro. Bryning be notified to attend at this Annual Communication of Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled. He has been so notified.

He has appeared, accompanied by one of the Past Masters of Cedar Lodge and has convinced your Committee that he should not be expelled.

Your Committee recommends that the indefinite suspension of Bro. James Stanley Bryning be continued until such time as he and his lodge apply to Grand Lodge for his restoration, and Grand Lodge, through the Committee on Grievances and Appeals, may then consider the application.

5. TEMPLE LODGE, No. 690, vs. BRO. WILLIAM DARRELL SOMMERS.

This case was reported to Grand Lodge in 1969 and is recorded in the 1969 Proceedings at p. 210.

The accused had been charged and convicted in Provincial Judges Court in Kitchener under five charges of public crimes involving moral turpitude. A charge of unmasonic conduct was laid in his lodge. The brother was found guilty and suspended with a recommendation to Grand Lodge that he be expelled.

Your Committee so recommended to Grand Lodge and on its direction he was notified to attend at this Annual Communication to show cause why he should not be expelled. He has not appeared.

Your Committee, therefore, recommends that Bro. William Darrell Sommers be expelled.

6. & 7. RIVER PARK LODGE, No. 356, vs. BRO. CHARLES HENRY TURVEY.

ARCADIA LODGE, No. 440, vs. BRO. GARNET HUBERT LAZIER.

Two cases have been reported to Grand Lodge in each of which a brother has been charged with unmasonic conduct and

an offence under Rule 1 (s) is implied. In both cases trials were held on notice and in each case the lodge voted for indefinite suspension.

Grand Lodge acting through the Board of General Purposes is authorized to review the case where a lodge asks for expulsion and also cases of reported suspensions for an offence of a serious or criminal character. Both of the cases in question involved the domestic affairs of members living in small towns and undoubtedly have given rise to local scandal based on external appearances. In neither case was a proper charge laid under our rules but in both cases trial took place of which the accused had knowledge and was at liberty to attend. After the suspension, neither party appealed to Grand Lodge. Your committee does not feel justified in intervening in either of these cases. In each case the lodge has suspended its offending member and done its best to discredit behaviour which could deface the image of Masonry in the community. If either brother has objection to the procedures of his lodge or the sentence imposed, he can apply to his lodge or to Grand Lodge for reinstatement on such evidence as he is able to present. In the meantime each stands suspended from his lodge. It appears to your Committee that each brother has by implication admitted his guilt of unmasonic conduct and that until matters are demonstrated otherwise, justice has been done.

If this report is read by brethren faced with problems of unmasonic conduct in their lodges, the Committee advises that in all cases strict attention should be given to:

- a. Accurate and explicit wording of charges;
- b. Careful observance of the formalities and sequence of procedure as laid down in the Rules respecting Trials.
- c. Direct and positive evidence of the relevant facts of the offence charged to be given at the trial or in accordance with the Rules respecting Trials.

The Committee is pleased to find that relatively few new cases have to be processed at this time. If we steadfastly guard our portals we may reasonably expect this situation to continue.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

M. CLEEVE HOOPER,
Chairman.

GRAND CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. M. S. Jess, Grand Chaplain, and on motion of the Deputy

Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Jess, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The past twelve months have become history in very short order. This year, as Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, has been most enjoyable, fruitful and worthwhile.

It is with sincere thanks that I express my appreciation to Most Worshipful Brother Bruce B. Foster for appointing me to this office. As the year progressed the many responsibilities of this office gradually unfolded and I have attempted to fulfill those various duties to the best of my ability. I trust that I have discharged them in a manner that is becoming to the Masonic Craft.

May I express my thanks to the District Deputy Grand Masters whose replies were prompt, and to their District Chaplains who kept me well informed of their activities and, most emphatically, of their District Divine Services. On those occasions when I was not able to accept the invitations extended to me and where Past Grand Chaplains or District Chaplains substituted, I extend my sincere appreciation.

It was my happy privilege to share in a Dedication, to address a number of District Divine Services, Centennial Services, Ladies' nights and to be present at a great many special and regular lodge meetings. It is gratifying and thrilling to find a continuing and keen enthusiasm among the Brethren and, in nearly every visit where wives, and sometimes families were involved, that this interest and zeal for the Masonic Order and all that it cherishes is shared with mutual admiration and support.

One of the highlights of this year came to me in June when I was able to represent our Grand Master at the 105th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Nova Scotia while attending the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Churches. This experience I shall long remember.

May I conclude by leaving with you a thought expressed by J. Fort Newton in a lecture entitled "Working Tools" — "A man is a Mason . . . when he finds good in every faith that helps any man to lay hold of divine things, whatever the name of that

faith may be. When he knows how to pray, how to love, how to hope. When he has kept faith with himself, with his fellow man, with his God; in his hand a sword for evil, in his heart a bit of a song—glad to live, but not afraid to die! Such a man has found the real secret of Masonry, and the one which it is trying to give to all the world."

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

MARSHALL S. JESS,
Grand Chaplain.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

This report was presented by V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by V.W. Bro. Ashforth, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I should like to preface my remarks by saying that Members of the Committee on Audit and Finance too were saddened by the passing of R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, who since 1947, had served as Chairman of the Committee. His wise counsel and thoroughness in all his actions, have made a lasting impression upon us. He will be missed immeasurably.

The Committee has carefully reviewed in detail the Reports of the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer, and the Auditor's Report attached thereto, as referred to it by this Annual Communication. These appear to fully and accurately record the essential details relative and pertaining to—

(a) the financial position of this Grand Lodge as of April 30, 1970, and the results of its fiscal operations on a cash basis for the twelve-month period ended on that date.

(b) details of all Receipts and Disbursements in respect to the General Fund, the Memorial Fund, and the Semi-Centennial Fund; together with particulars of all transactions and changes in the Capital Accounts of Grand Lodge, which have occurred during the said period.

(c) schedules of the securities in which Grand Lodge assets were invested as of the above mentioned date.

The Committee desires to report some of the highlights arising from its examination, which, no doubt, will be of interest to you.

1. The Audited Statements of Grand Lodge accounts as presented by the Grand Treasurer show that the net balance of all its resources have reached the substantial sum of \$1,653,950.23. This net balance of all Grand Lodge resources includes total investments of \$1,615,857.27 which are valued at cost, plus cash on hand, and in the bank, and represents an increase of \$51,070.61 over the corresponding period of a year ago, on the new basis of calculation, to which the Grand Treasurer has referred.

In this latter connection, due to further inroads of inflation, and erosion in values, which have occurred during the past year, and to more properly record the real value of Grand Lodge reserves, the Grand Treasurer has, quite rightly, accepted and adopted in principle the reporting of values of securities at cost, rather than using par values as in the past. As stated earlier, the cost price of securities held on April 30th, 1970 was \$1,615,857.57, which is less than the par value by \$37,239.03. Of course, as stated by the Grand Treasurer, market values of securities are still below cost, as shown in the financial statements.

2. Traditionally all securities owned by Grand Lodge are in the category of Trustee investments, with the exception of \$220,000 Series "A" and \$40,000 Series "B", 5% debentures of Masonic Holdings payable on demand after June 1, 1978. These securities were acquired under specific authority of this Grand Lodge. During the fiscal year ended April 30, 1970, an additional \$5,000 of Series "A" debentures of Masonic Holdings was redeemed bringing the accumulated redemptions up to \$132,000 since 1959, the year in which they were originally issued. All securities, with few exceptions, are fully registered and are presently held in the custody of the Canada Permanent Trust Company, Toronto, as verified by Certificate attached to the Auditor's Report.

The Auditor has pointed out to the Grand Secretary that it would facilitate the checking and handling of securities if they were lodged locally in Hamilton, and the Committee concurs in this view. I shall shortly present a resolution which would give effect to this change.

3. Total Receipts for Initiation Fees, Dues, Commutations, Refunds, etc. plus interest on investments, amounted to \$223,713.92, approximately \$4,000 less than the corresponding figures of the preceding year. Of the decrease, dues were lower by \$1,781. Disbursements for the year amounted to \$192,088.73, an increase of approximately \$8,800. The more important items causing this increase are the appropriation for Benevolent Grants \$4,000, and Grand Lodge meeting expenses \$2,102.

As a result of reduced income and increased disbursements, net operating surplus was down \$12,815.73 from a year ago but still the surplus amounted to \$31,625.19.

Strict control of all expenditures has been maintained and the total incurred during the year are well within the budget total as approved by Grand Lodge at its Annual Communication in 1969.

Your Committee recommends approval of the ten special donations to charitable institutions totalling \$4,300, and one for \$100 to the Masonic Foundation of Ontario in memory of the late M.W. Bro. Treleven, all of which were made under authority of the Grand Master and as itemized in the financial statements.

Grants for benevolent purposes, less grants refunded, amounted to \$62,273.69, which compares with \$66,405 in the preceding year, being a reduction of \$4,131.31.

These grants were paid out of the income of the combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds, as supplemented by transfers from the General Fund in the amount of \$30,000.

The Committee on Benevolence estimates that benevolent grants this year will amount to \$67,000 and the Committee on Audit and Finance recommends that the appropriations totalling \$35,000 be made from the General Fund for this purpose, such funds to be transferred to the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds as and when required to supplement the interest and income therefrom, which is estimated at \$35,000 for the ensuing twelve months, thus providing adequate funds for all benevolent grants made or to be made under Grand Lodge authority for the period May 1, 1970, to April 30th, 1971.

An examination of insurance coverages presently in effect, as evidenced by policies in the possession of the Grand Secretary, indicates adequate coverage is held against loss by fire, and, or, other hazards.

In its review of all matters covered in this report, your Committee has received the fullest co-operation and assistance from the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer, their respective assistants and from the Auditor, Bro. A. William Parish F.C.A. of Hamilton, Ontario, and now formally recommends to this Grand Lodge the adoption, without amendment, of the reports of the above mentioned officers; also approval of the recommendations contained in this Committee's report.

In accordance with Section 101 of the Constitution, your Committee submits for consideration and approval, an estimate of Receipts and Disbursements in respect to the General Fund for the year ending April 30, 1971.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For the Period May 1, 1970 to April 30, 1971

RECEIPTS:

Fees for initiations	\$ 12,000.00
Fees for affiliations	600.00
Dues (including Life Member per capita)	130,000.00
Certificates	200.00
Ceremonies	150.00
Dispensations	1,200.00
Commutations	13,000.00
Sale of Constitutions, booklets, manuals, etc.	5,500.00
Miscellaneous	2,500.00
Refunds	2,500.00

\$167,650.00

Interest on investments	56,000.00
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TOTAL\$223,650.00

DISBURSEMENTS:

Salaries:—

Grand Secretary	\$ 15,000.00
Supervisor of Benevolence and Asst. to Grand Secretary	10,000.00
Staff—Grand Secretary's Office	25,705.00
Ontario Hospital Services—Contributions	500.00
Canada Pension Plan—Contributions	450.00

Office Expenses:

Rent	24,000.00
Printing, stationery and supplies	6,000.00
Express, telephone, telegraph and bank charges (net)	1,200.00
Postage	2,500.00
Furniture and equipment	1,500.00

Travelling Expenses:

Supervisor of Benevolence	500.00
Grand Secretary	500.00
Trust company fees	1,000.00
Insurance (including Contingent Liability)	4,000.00
Audit	1,750.00

Library:

General Expenses	750.00
Librarian's Honorarium	1,200.00
Library Rental	2,000.00
Grand Master's allowance and steno.	1,900.00
Deputy G.M.'s allowance	750.00
Allowance re Mrs. W. J. Attig	2,400.00
Representatives to other Grand Lodges	5,500.00
Conference fees, etc. Washington	1,500.00
Conference of Canadian Grand Lodges —Expenses Trust Fund appropriation	6,500.00
Committee on Masonic Education	600.00
Special Printing for Resale	15,000.00

Grand Lodge Bulletin	6,000.00
Honorary Presentation—medals and buttons	5,000.00
Review of fraternal correspondence	650.00
Grand Lodge Meeting expenses:	
Printing Fraternal Reviews	1,700.00
Printing Preliminary Reports	2,400.00
Printing Proceedings	6,500.00
General Expenses	20,000.00
Advance re 1971 meeting	500.00
Masonic Relief Association—U.S.A.—Canada	450.00
Appropriation for Benevolent Grants	35,000.00
Charitable Donations	5,000.00
Portrait	600.00
Miscellaneous	5,000.00
TOTAL	\$221,505.00

SUMMARY

Estimated Receipts	\$223,650.00
Estimated Disbursements	221,505.00
Estimated Excess Receipts over Disbursements	\$ 2,145.00

The foregoing estimates have been carefully considered and compiled on a realistic basis after consultation with the Grand Secretary and the Grand Treasurer. They provide for all items which might reasonably be foreseen and for such amounts as may be required by Grand Lodge to discharge its responsibilities; its operations, and meet all normal commitments for the current fiscal year.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted

on behalf of the Committee.

A. C. ASHFORTH,
Chairman.

RESOLUTION RE TRANSFER OF SECURITIES

Pursuant to the foregoing Report the following resolution was presented by V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth:

“WHEREAS the Canada Permanent Trust Company of Toronto have been the custodians of the securities of Grand Lodge.

“AND WHEREAS it is now deemed advisable, on the advice of the Auditor, Bro. A. W. Parish, F.C.A., to transfer all such securities to Hamilton, to be placed with

the Main Branch of The Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, our bankers, as custodians:

“RESOLVED that the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary be and they are hereby authorized and directed to obtain delivery from the Canada Permanent Trust Company of all securities belonging to the several funds of Grand Lodge and held by the said Canada Permanent Trust Company, as custodians, and arrange for their immediate transfer to the said Main Branch of The Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, who shall assume custody of same, under such arrangements and on such terms as the Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance shall decide.”

On motion of V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth, seconded by R.W. Bro. M. C. Hooper, Grand Treasurer, it was carried unanimously.

APPOINTMENT OF GRAND CHAPLAIN

The Grand Master announced the appointment of Wor. Bro. Rev. J. E. Gordon Houghton, a Past Master of Cassia Lodge, No. 116, Thedford, as the Right Worshipful Grand Chaplain.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Secretary read the names of the brethren who had been selected in the various Districts to serve as District Deputy Grand Masters.

He reported that Wor. Bro. J. M. Dalrymple of Georgian District was unable to be present on account of illness. He also reported that no selection had been made in the new Ottawa “2” District.

The Grand Master confirmed the selections and directed those present be now installed and Wor. Bro. John M. Dalrymple be installed at a later date.

The Grand Master also directed that R.W. Bro. W. R. Rowsome continue as D.D.G.M. of Ottawa “2” until

such time as a selection of the first D.D.G.M. of the new Ottawa "2" be made. For this purpose he directed R.W. Bro. Rowsome to call a meeting of the eligible representatives and the Past Masters of the lodges in the new District as soon as possible, and that, subject to confirmation by the Grand Master, the installation of the newly selected D.D.G.M. shall take place at a later date.

District	D.D.G.M.	Address
Algoma	Kenneth J. Wepler	Terrace Bay
Brant	Neil A. MacPherson	Mount Pleasant
Bruce	Lorne B. Evans	Paisley
Chatham	David R. Bexton	Chatham
Eastern	Norman M. MacLeod	Dunvegan
Frontenac	Garnet M. Kirkham	Parham
Georgian	John M. Dalrymple	Midland
Grey	John R. Mackenzie	Markdale
Hamilton "A"	Frederick Scott	Hamilton
Hamilton "B"	James G. Hamilton	Hamilton
London East	William J. Anderson	London
London West	Reginald W. Norris	London
Musk.-Parry Sound	E. Mingus Moore	Sundridge
Niagara "A"	Wallace M. Secord	Fonthill
Niagara "B"	Gordon K. Brown	Welland
Nipissing East	Alfred J. Stewart	Cache Bay
Nipissing West	W. J. Ross Harrison	Elliot Lake
North Huron	J. Carman Thompson	Teeswater
Ontario	James A. Barron	Oshawa
Ottawa 1	J. Alfred Pell	Ottawa
Ottawa 2		
Peterborough	J. Robert Larmer	Millbrook
Prince Edward	Earl F. Gray	Plainfield
Sarnia	Ross S. McKellar	Mooretown
St. Lawrence	Jack Magill	Smiths Falls
St. Thomas	William D. Foster	Iona Station
South Huron	Bryce Skinner	Mitchell
Temiskaming	William E. Taylor	Swastika
Toronto 1	William G. McNay	Port Credit
Toronto 2	Walter Hibbins	Willowdale
Toronto 3	J. Leonard Jones	West Hill
Toronto 4	Wilmer H. Reid	Scarborough
Toronto 5	Edward J. Barbour	Toronto
Toronto 6	Grant G. W. Oldham	Mount Albert
Toronto 7	Frederick E. Harrison	Toronto
Victoria	Ivan G. Rodd	Cameron
Waterloo	Garfield J. Weber	New Dundee
Wellington	John L. Carter	Fergus
Western	Carl F. Schubring	Fort Frances
Wilson	John W. Froggett	Vienna
Windsor	Allan H. McGuire	Tilbury

They were then installed and invested by M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn.

INSTALLATION OF OTHER OFFICERS

The other Grand Lodge officers were then installed and invested; the Grand Senior Warden by M.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine; the Grand Junior Warden by M.W. Bro. J. N. Allan; the Grand Chaplain by M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright; the Grand Treasurer by M.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon; and the Grand Registrar by M.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn.

APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

The Grand Master appointed the following brethren as members of the Board of General Purposes:

R.W. Bro. J. W. Bradley	Kirkland Lake
R.W. Bro. A. V. Chapman	Thunder Bay
R.W. Bro. P. S. MacKenzie	Walkerton
R.W. Bro. D. E. Magee	Barrie
R.W. Bro. J. B. Sainsbury	Sault Ste. Marie
R.W. Bro. C. A. Sankey	St. Catharines
V.W. Bro. H. A. Leal	Don Mills
and for one year:	
V.W. Bro. H. L. Hastie	Toronto

APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE

Grand Senior Deacon, V.W. Bro. Frederick W. D. Welham,
Toronto.
Grand Junior Deacon, V.W. Bro. Stanley Gilbert, Toronto.
Grand Supt. of Works, V.W. Bro. Maynard J. Slack, Kingston.
Grand Dir. of Ceremonies, V.W. Bro. John D. Atchison, Windsor.
Asst. Grand Secretary, V.W. Bro. William J. Guigue, Ottawa.
Asst. Grand Dir. of Ceremonies, V.W. Bro. Willard A. Watson,
Hamilton.
Grand Sword Bearer, V.W. Bro. Cyrus J. Allison, Stroud.
Grand Organist, V.W. Bro. Bro. Jock Harris, Guelph.
Asst. Grand Organist, V.W. Bro. D. B. Mackie, Keewatin.
Grand Pursuivant, V.W. Bro. Wilbert A. Joyce, Toronto.

GRAND STEWARDS

V.W. Bro. F. B. Arnett	Durham
" " Edmund Ashton	Highgate

"	"	C. E. Bailey	Cochrane
"	"	Clifford Barker	Toronto
"	"	W. J. F. Bell	Hensall
"	"	K. A. Billett	Bowmanville
"	"	W. E. Bonner	Thunder Bay
"	"	W. H. Boyd	Omeme
"	"	O. C. Bridgeman	London
"	"	A. C. Brooker	Brantford
"	"	C. S. Brown	Iroquois
"	"	W. R. Buchanan	Florence
"	"	S. W. Bunston	St. Catharines
"	"	L. L. Connor	Ottawa
"	"	E. H. Denman	Toronto
"	"	D. M. Donnelly	St. Catharines
"	"	G. A. Dorkin	Toronto
"	"	W. E. Egan	Bolton
"	"	W. H. Ferguson	South Augusta
"	"	D. E. Fisher	Watford
"	"	Henry Fullick	Tavistock
"	"	Henry Gamble	Wallaceburg
"	"	F. P. Giffen	Toronto
"	"	Kenneth Gordon	Martintown
"	"	P. M. Graham	Minden
"	"	D. D. Grant	Peterborough
"	"	J. L. Grierson	Niagara Falls
"	"	M. H. Hastings	Toronto
"	"	C. T. Hill	Windsor
"	"	A. R. Hobbs	Granton
"	"	William Hoey	Toronto
"	"	G. R. Hunter	Toronto
"	"	J. A. Johnston	Windsor
"	"	G. M. Kirkpatrick	Nilestown
"	"	W. R. Lawson	Georgetown
"	"	W. J. Linton	Barrie
"	"	Earl Mabey	Delhi
"	"	G. W. Mair	Chesley
"	"	W. B. Matthews	Hamilton
"	"	G. H. MacCarthy	Ottawa
"	"	R. B. G. MacDonell	Toronto
"	"	W. J. Macintosh	Hamilton
"	"	Cecil McDonald	Paisley
"	"	A. R. D. McNeely	Ottawa
"	"	W. A. McNeil	Stoney Creek
"	"	J. A. Newell	Toronto
"	"	W. H. Oattes	Smiths Falls
"	"	G. A. Paine	Toronto
"	"	H. W. Parkes	Dorchester
"	"	L. J. Presley	Morrisburg
"	"	Douglas Probert	Toronto
"	"	Joseph Raine	Ridgetown
"	"	J. A. Rose	Sarnia
"	"	V. E. M. Rumney	Port McNicoll
"	"	R. J. Sayer	North Bay

"	"	J. A. Shobbrook	Londesboro
"	"	H. H. Smart	Scarborough
"	"	E. D. Teeple	Aylmer
"	"	T. J. Trotter	Toronto
"	"	A. J. H. Walker	Jarvis
"	"	J. C. Wardlaw	Weston
"	"	C. K. West	Madoc
"	"	G. L. Whalen	Sault Ste. Marie

GRAND STANDARD BEARERS

V.W. Bro. G. E. Langley	Toronto
V.W. Bro. D. A. McDonald	London

VOTE OF THANKS

On motion of M.W. Bro. J. N. Allan, seconded by M.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine, it was unanimously resolved: That this Grand Lodge extend its sincere thanks to the Mayor and citizens of Scarborough, to the Scarborough Board of Education, to the Police Department, to the lodges of the seven Toronto Districts, to the Local Committee on Arrangements and to all other officials for the kindness shown to the officers and delegates; and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the several committees and officials.

GRAND LODGE CLOSED

The Grand Master, having announced that the labors of Grand Lodge were concluded, called on the Grand Chaplain to invoke the blessing of the Most High upon the Craft.

Grand Lodge was declared closed in Ample Form at 12 Noon, of Thursday, July 16th, 1970.



Grand Secretary.



RETURNS OF LODGES AS

For Secretary's Address see P.O. Addresses of Secretaries, page 246-258.
St. John the Evangelist, all others on or near that of St. John the Baptist.

No. of Lodge	Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
2	aNiagara	Niagara-on-the-Lake	F. M. Gorham	A. G. Hall
3	aAnc. St. John's	Kingston	H. R. Lyons	T. J. Donnelly
5	aSussex	Brockville	L. N. Henderson	H. F. Blanchard
6	aThe Barton	Hamilton	E. S. McDougall	
7	Union	Grimsbv	Gordon Lounsbury	A. B. Hummel
9	aUnion	Napanee	W. G. Ramsay	J. K. Gourlie
10	aNorfolk	Simcoe	E. A. Morden	B. B. Smith
11	aMoira	Belleville	G. C. Stratton	H. S. Robbins
14	aTrue Britons'	Perth	R. E. Kirkham	Ernest Cross
15	St. George's	St. Catharines	George Peters	W. E. Thompson
16	aSt. Andrew's	Toronto	John Connolly	H. B. Burns
17	aSt. John's	Cobourg	Charles Wellman	Frank Gladden
18	aPrince Edward	Picton	C. A. McCormack	W. D. McArthur
20	aSt. John's	London	W. A. Graham	R. C. Keeler
21A	aSt. John's	Vankleek Hill	S. E. Howes	G. D. Folkard
22	aKing Solomon's	Toronto	Nicholas Zolomoff	D. M. Tozer
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill	A. L. Murphy	R. A. Jordan
24	aSt. Francis	Smiths Falls	W. J. Carpenter	G. P. Marshall
25	aIonic	Toronto	G. T. G. Scott	C. S. Fox-Revelt
26	aOntario	Port Hope	Ralph Goheen	E. J. McKeever
27	aStrict Observance	Hamilton	Thomas Stenhouse	R. G. Truscott
28	aMount Zion	Kemptville	G. Van der Vaart	W. S. D. Hamilton
29	aUnited	Brighton	F. E. Stewart	G. R. Thomson
30	aComposite	Whitby	Homer Boake	C. E. Broughton
31	aJerusalem	Bowmanville	F. A. Osmond	J. S. Emmerson
32	aAmity	Dunnville	L. I. Mumby	H. V. Bartlett
33	aMaitland	Goderich	J. H. Aitken	C. J. Worsell
34	aThistle	Amherstburg	R. A. Craig	Watson Hallock
35	aSt. John's	Cayuga	Howard Wildfong	R. M. Murphy
37	aKing Hiram	Ingersoll	M. W. Branscombe	H. J. Upfold
38	aTrent	Trenton	A. G. Banks	H. F. Burke
39	aMount Zion	Brooklin	Neal Grandy	J. F. Patterson
40	aSt. John's	Hamilton	A. S. Page	C. E. Heal
41	aSt. George's	Kingsville	S. E. Melton	J. R. Graham
42	aSt. George's	London	M. C. Beaton	J. P. Gorman
43	aKing Solomon's	Woodstock	T. A. Costello	T. F. Fellow
44	aSt. Thomas	St. Thomas	Edward Colley	H. R. Watson
45	aBrant	Brantford	Normond Ellis	K. H. Baker
46	aWellington	Chatham	G. C. Marvell	H. D. Paulucci
47	aGreat Western	Windsor	H. E. Chamney	A. R. Bourne
48	aMadoc	Madoc	Charles Hamilton	K. M. Livingstone
50	aConsecon	Consecon	M. J. Carnrike	E. V. Young
52	aDalhousie	Ottawa	G. O. George	A. R. D. McNeely
54	aVaughan	Maple	R. J. Darlington	M. J. Kinnee
55	aMerrickille	Merrickville	E. J. W. Warren	Edwin Pitcher
56	aVictoria	Sarnia	D. D. Lasenby	D. H. Gosnell
57	aHarmony	Binbrook	R. B. Reid	Ralph Hillgartner
58	aDoric	Ottawa	K. R. L. Evan	R. F. Tubman
61	aAcacia	Hamilton	A. S. Laver	D. R. Shaw
62	aSt. Andrew's	Caledonia	G. E. Wales	G. G. Thompson
63	St. John's	Carleton Place	G. A. Docker	F. A. McTavish
64	aKilwinning	London	D. G. Cookson	E. C. Smith
65	aRehoboam	Toronto	Matthew McMath	H. M. Giesbrecht
66	aDurham	Newcastle	T. O. Henderson	J. J. Scott
68	aSt. John's	Ingersoll	J. I. Pettit	W. H. Allen
69	aStirling	Stirling	B. G. Woodbeck	E. F. Emerson

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Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend	Members 31 Dec. 1968	Members 31 Dec. 1969
2	1st Wednesday.....	10	7	10	3	—	—	4	—	273	282
3	1st Thursday.....	6	6	5	4	—	1	12	3	371	365
5	3rd Monday.....	5	5	4	—	—	—	4	—	408	409
6	3rd Wed.....	3	2	2	—	—	—	5	2	261	257
7	2nd Thursday.....	8	12	13	6	—	1	4	5	282	286
9	2nd Wednesday.....	4	3	3	2	—	2	4	—	189	189
10	2nd Tuesday.....	3	3	3	4	2	1	10	4	294	288
11	1st Wednesday.....	6	6	5	—	—	2	12	2	446	436
14	1st Monday.....	2	5	4	3	—	4	3	2	246	242
15	2nd Tuesday.....	4	3	2	2	1	3	7	2	316	311
16	2nd Tuesday.....	4	4	7	1	—	5	9	5	318	304
17	2nd Tuesday.....	3	1	1	2	—	2	4	7	291	283
18	1st Thursday.....	5	3	2	2	—	1	6	—	309	309
20	2nd Tuesday.....	6	6	6	2	—	1	18	4	520	505
a	1st Tuesday.....	1	—	2	—	—	2	3	—	88	84
22	2nd Thursday.....	7	7	5	2	2	4	6	8	267	260
23	3rd Wednesday.....	7	6	7	1	—	2	2	2	229	231
24	1st Thursday.....	9	8	8	3	1	—	9	3	348	349
25	1st Wednesday.....	3	3	2	2	—	8	5	—	177	169
26	3rd Thursday.....	5	7	5	3	—	—	3	1	240	244
27	3rd Friday.....	3	2	2	—	1	4	13	2	400	385
28	3rd Thursday.....	2	2	2	3	—	2	2	2	121	120
29	1st Tuesday.....	4	4	2	2	—	1	8	—	209	206
0	Last Monday.....	5	4	6	1	2	2	9	—	209	206
1	2nd Wednesday.....	4	3	2	1	—	—	7	—	201	199
2	2nd Wednesday.....	9	8	3	4	2	—	4	3	277	285
3	2nd Tuesday.....	5	5	5	4	—	2	5	—	202	204
4	1st Tuesday.....	2	1	1	1	—	1	3	—	127	126
5	3rd Thursday.....	2	3	3	—	—	—	2	—	152	152
7	1st Friday.....	2	2	2	—	—	2	4	—	199	195
8	2nd Tuesday.....	3	3	5	3	1	4	7	2	310	304
9	1st Tuesday.....	4	3	4	—	—	2	1	—	123	124
0	3rd Thursday.....	7	3	2	—	1	1	10	7	417	407
1	1st Thursday.....	3	4	4	1	—	3	16	—	243	228
2	1st Thursday.....	4	2	3	—	—	4	8	—	297	289
3	1st Tuesday.....	5	5	4	—	—	6	14	6	334	313
4	1st Thursday.....	5	4	5	1	—	2	7	1	301	297
5	2nd Tuesday.....	6	7	7	1	—	2	9	—	311	307
6	1st Monday.....	9	4	5	2	—	2	6	—	237	240
7	1st Thursday.....	8	7	6	—	1	—	23	22	548	512
8	3rd Monday.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	160	159
0	1st Friday.....	2	3	2	—	—	2	3	—	116	113
2	1st Tuesday.....	9	9	5	—	1	3	7	8	402	394
4	2nd Tuesday.....	2	1	1	—	—	1	1	—	129	129
5	3rd Friday.....	1	1	2	—	—	—	3	—	103	101
6	1st Tuesday.....	4	5	5	—	—	1	13	6	348	332
7	2nd Wednesday.....	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	110	106
8	3rd Thursday.....	3	3	4	—	—	2	15	2	298	282
1	2nd Friday.....	7	4	3	—	1	4	12	—	534	526
2	3rd Thursday.....	2	6	8	1	—	—	3	—	159	159
3	2nd Wednesday.....	2	3	3	1	—	—	6	1	216	212
4	3rd Friday.....	21	13	9	7	—	4	10	7	649	656
5	1st Thursday.....	2	2	2	—	—	7	18	2	302	277
6	1st Tuesday.....	2	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	112	113
8	3rd Tuesday.....	3	2	—	1	—	—	4	2	151	149
9	3rd Thursday.....	4	3	3	—	—	2	2	—	190	190

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No. of Lodge	Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
72	aAlma	Galt	J. E. Blackie	R. M. Hastings
73	aSt. James	St. Marys	R. J. Aitcheson	H. R. Alberts
74	aSt. James	South Augusta	Arthur Peterson	Wm. Hamblen
75	aSt. Johns	Toronto	W. S. Spence	C. A. Boddy
76	aOxford	Woodstock	Guenter Johanning	A. L. Cooper
77	aFaithful Brethren	Lindsay	Edwin Westin	C. H. Heels
78	aKing Hiram	Tillsonburg	R. H. Malcolm	A. A. Coyle
79	aSimcoe	Bradford	S. C. Lee	Ben Steers
81	aSt. John's	Mount Brydges	J. A. McLean	L. M. Brown
82	aSt. John's	Paris	J. F. Longley	C. R. Burton
83	aBeaver	Strathroy	C. A. McLean	P. J. Sims
84	Clinton	Clinton	W. F. Cook	D. E. Symons
85	aRising Sun	Athens	E. D. Brayton	L. M. Kerr
86	aWilson	Toronto	H. S. Bell	C. J. E. Lawer
87	aMarkham Union	Markham	Leslie Hart	L. S. Pilkington
88	St. George's	Owen Sound	Alex. Mackay	E. C. Rosskopf
90	aManito	Collingwood	J. M. McKechnie	N. Hodson
91	aColborne	Colborne	Cecil McQuoid	Ken Mills
92	aCatawaqui	Kingston	T. E. Rathwell	E. C. Swayne
93	aNorthern Light	Kincardine	K. G. Robertson	H. J. Norman
94	aSt. Mark's	Port Stanley	W. F. Pickard	J. L. Brumpton
96	aCorinthian	Barrie	Jack McCabe	W. T. Kirkpatrick
97	aSharon	Queensville	A. M. Morton	M. L. Newroth
98	True Blue	Bolton	James Sneath	Harold Taylor
99	aTuscan	Newmarket	Bruce Shanks	C. E. Boyd
100	aValley	Dundas	D. R. Lee	E. L. Ford
101	aCorinthian	Peterborough	D. G. Smith	W. R. Martin
103	aMaple Leaf	St. Catharines	C. H. Fuzzen	J. R. Snure
104	St. John's	Norwich	R. F. Fellow	R. O. Fewster
105	aSt. Mark's	Niagara Falls	N. McClelland	R. E. Vilneff
106	aBurford	Burford	G. A. Fraser	Wm. Reed
107	aSt. Paul's	Lambeth	D. A. Theaker	A. L. McConnell
108	Blenheim	Princeton	Charles Riach	H. D. Wight
109	aAlbion	Harrowsmith	A. E. Clark	G. M. Spafford
110	aCentral	Prescott	H. R. Ruehle	A. P. Gaudin
113	aWilson	Waterford	L. D. Simington	J. A. Davis
114	aHope	Port Hope	James McGlashon	W. H. Inch
115	aIvy	Beamsville	J. T. Smith	H. C. Clark
116	aCassia	Theford	Russel Burch	L. S. Masure
118	Union	Schomberg	Murray Cook	Wm. Hammett
119	aMaple Leaf	Bath	D. G. Cutts	Herbert Weese
120	Warren	Fingal	Bruce Lyle	Douglas Orchard
121	aDoric	Brantford	Arnold Rose	E. E. McIntyre
122	Renfrew	Renfrew	W. J. Gilhooly	Harry Hinchley
123	aBelleville	Belleville	W. J. N. Throop	R. M. Gunsolus
125	aCornwall	Cornwall	E. G. Myers	G. E. McCutcheon
126	aGolden Rule	Campbellford	Edgar Swift	R. E. King
127	aFrank	Frankford	James Putnam	Preston Chase
128	Pembroke	Pembroke	Wm. Cobham	M. H. Doering
129	aRising Sun	Aurora	Clayton Pogue	J. H. Knowles
131	aSt. Lawrence	Southampton	Wm. Cowling	James Kennedy
133	aLebanon Forest	Exeter	D. Finkbeiner	K. H. Hodgins
135	aSt. Clair	Milton	V. J. Coulson	Kenneth Watson
136	aRichardson	Stouffville	J. M. Wagg	Blair Mitchell
137	aPythagoras	Meaford	Lyle Benedict	N. R. Morrison
139	aLebanon	Oshawa	A. F. Davey	G. H. A. Suddard

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Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend	Members 31 Dec. 1968	Members 31 Dec. 1969
72	2nd Tuesday.....	6	6	9	—	—	1	9	3	295	288
73	3rd Monday.....	3	4	1	—	—	4	2	5	210	202
74	1st Monday.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	4	1	111	107
75	1st Monday.....	3	3	2	1	—	4	6	—	210	204
76	2nd Monday.....	1	2	4	—	—	3	6	3	357	346
77	2nd Tuesday.....	4	3	3	3	1	1	5	4	348	346
78	2nd Wednesday.....	2	4	3	—	—	3	3	—	304	300
79	2nd Monday.....	3	2	4	—	—	2	1	—	148	148
81	2nd Tuesday.....	—	—	2	1	—	—	3	1	75	72
82	2nd Tuesday.....	3	1	1	—	1	2	5	—	185	182
83	3rd Monday.....	6	3	1	7	—	1	5	—	177	184
84	1st Tuesday.....	4	4	5	2	—	3	5	6	194	186
85	Thurs. on or before F.M.....	2	2	1	2	—	1	2	—	93	94
86	3rd Tuesday.....	5	7	6	—	—	1	8	1	201	196
87	2nd Wednesday.....	7	5	6	2	—	3	5	—	200	201
88	2nd Wednesday.....	3	7	6	2	—	5	3	3	196	190
90	2nd Tuesday.....	4	4	2	1	—	1	7	—	265	262
91	3rd Friday.....	2	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	145	146
92	2nd Friday.....	9	6	5	2	—	2	10	—	376	375
93	1st Wednesday.....	2	2	1	—	—	2	2	1	213	210
94	2nd Tuesday.....	5	2	1	3	—	—	7	5	153	149
96	1st Thursday.....	8	7	8	4	2	2	8	6	416	414
97	2nd Tuesday.....	6	4	5	1	—	3	3	3	173	171
98	1st Friday.....	4	4	2	—	—	—	2	—	112	114
99	2nd Thursday.....	3	3	3	1	—	5	7	1	218	209
100	2nd Monday.....	4	6	4	5	—	2	9	—	339	337
101	3rd Friday.....	10	12	8	4	3	—	6	3	474	482
103	Last Thursday.....	4	1	2	3	—	3	3	—	412	413
104	3rd Monday.....	2	1	—	—	—	2	3	—	187	184
105	2nd Tuesday.....	11	7	6	3	—	5	6	6	294	291
106	3rd Wednesday.....	2	1	2	—	—	—	3	—	149	148
107	2nd Wednesday.....	1	1	1	—	2	1	1	—	196	197
108	2nd Friday.....	1	1	2	—	—	1	1	—	110	109
109	Fri. on or before F.M.....	1	1	1	1	—	—	5	—	161	158
110	1st Tuesday.....	5	4	3	1	—	3	3	2	127	125
111	2nd Wednesday.....	4	2	2	1	—	3	5	—	167	164
112	3rd Tuesday.....	3	3	2	1	1	1	4	1	199	198
113	1st Tuesday.....	6	5	5	1	—	1	5	—	233	234
114	2nd Monday.....	1	3	2	2	—	—	—	2	103	104
115	2nd Monday.....	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	121	121
116	2nd Monday.....	2	2	2	—	4	—	2	3	111	112
117	1st Tuesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	—	3	—	96	95
118	3rd Friday.....	8	4	4	1	—	5	9	8	393	380
119	1st Monday.....	2	1	1	—	—	4	2	2	195	189
120	1st Thursday.....	7	6	7	1	—	2	10	—	328	324
121	1st Wednesday.....	—	2	4	—	1	4	11	1	329	314
122	2nd Monday.....	2	1	—	1	—	2	5	3	242	235
123	3rd Monday.....	2	2	—	1	—	—	2	—	207	208
124	1st Thursday.....	13	12	11	2	—	5	6	1	266	269
125	1st Thursday.....	5	5	7	2	—	4	6	1	217	213
126	2nd Tuesday.....	2	2	4	1	—	—	6	1	78	74
127	2nd Monday.....	4	5	3	1	—	—	3	—	189	191
128	1st Thursday.....	1	4	5	—	—	—	1	3	221	218
129	4th Wednesday.....	2	2	2	3	—	—	1	—	170	174
130	1st Tuesday.....	5	4	3	1	1	1	5	—	133	134
131	2nd Tuesday.....	4	4	3	—	—	4	11	—	431	420

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140	aMalahide	Aylmer	Clinton Kipp	J.B. Wright
141	aTudor	Mitchell	Clayton Harris	Charles Friend
142	aExcelsior	Morrisburg	E. R. Rice	L. J. Presley
143	aFriendly Brothers'	Iroquois	Kenneth Kirkby	Carl Van Camp
144	aTecumseh	Stratford	H. G. Livingston	E. C. Huggins
145	aJ. B. Hall	Millbrook	G. W. Kinsman	J. S. McGill
146	aPrince of Wales	Newburgh	Basil Ballance	J. E. Lewis
147	aMississippi	Almonte	D. J. McMullan	S. H. Morton
148	aCivil Service	Ottawa	G. E. Wade	E. D. Berry
149	aErie	Port Dover	G. A. Reid	B. M. Varey
151	aGrand River	Kitchener	Ralph Oldfield	H. W. Rothaermel
153	aBurns'	Wyoming	Wayne Gare	L. W. Slack
154	aIrving	Lucan	C. H. Stanley	C. B. Culbert
155	aPeterborough	Peterborough	J. R. Record	A. J. Cummings
156	aYork	Toronto	A. E. Mills	W. S. Collins
157	aSimpson	Newboro	A. B. Welch	W. L. Blackman
158	aAlexandra	Oil Springs	Donald Croft	John Randall
159	aGoodwood	Richmond	W. B. Craig	W. C. Clark
161	aPercy	Warkworth	G. Meiklejohn	Eldon Ewing
162	aForest	Wroxeter	G. S. Moir	J. H. Wylie
164	aStar-in-the-East	Wellington	Gordon Lloyd	B. C. Tice
165	aBurlington	Burlington	J. F. McLelland	F. G. Wickens
166	aWentworth	Stoney Creek	R. A. Coniam	W. A. McNeil
168	aMerritt	Welland	G. W. Brown	E. A. Lee
169	aMacnab	Port Colborne	Theodore Ivan	C. M. McNeil
170	aBritannia	Seaforth	G. L. Beutenmiller	G. A. Wright
171	aPrince of Wales	Iona Station	J. G. Agar	W. G. Agar
172	aAyr	Ayr	S. G. Winslade	B. L. Myers
174	aWalsingham	Port Rowan	John Wingrove	D. G. Johnson
177	aThe Builders	Ottawa	R. J. Hunter	Harry Georganas
178	aPlattsville	Plattsville	Allan Hewitt	J. L. Gofton
180	aSpeed	Guelph	D. M. Davidson	Jack Cherry
181	aOriental	Port Burwell	Allister Evelyn	Gerald Clarke
184	aOld Light	Lucknow	Girvin Reed	T. J. Salkeld
185	aEnniskillen	York	K. A. Anderson	J. A. Senn
186	aPlantagenet	Riceville	C. G. Perry	B. Fawcett
190	aBelmont	Belmont	Roy Barker	D. W. Schuyler
192	aOrillia	Orillia	J. D. Dearden	J. W. Davies
193	aScotland	Scotland	Boyd Allison	L. K. Poss
194	aPetrolia	Petrolia	R. J. O'Neill	Roy Cox
195	aTuscan	London	K. G. Hessel	W. L. Dunn
196	aMadawaska	Arnprior	George Barrie	H. E. Hobbs
197	aSaugeen	Walkerton	J. H. Threndyle	A. Gowanlock
200	aSt. Alban's	Mount Forest	John Lemaich	H. J. Corley
201	aLeeds	Gananoque	D. D. Arbuckle	J. F. Symons
203	aIrvine	Elora	A. E. Davison	J. C. Drimlie
205	aNew Dominion	New Hamburg	Walter Amos	Ross Merner
207	aLancaster	Lancaster	Francis Firth	W. R. Steele
209	aEvergreen	Lanark	Arnold Napier	J. E. Paul
209A	aSt. John's	London	J. A. Bennett	F. B. Robinson
215	aLake	Ameliasburg	James York	Gerald Redner
216	aHarris	Orangeville	W. E. Watson	J. C. Nottingham
217	aFrederick	Delhi	D. L. Huggins	G. W. Franklin
218	aStevenson	Toronto	Cyril Woods	J. H. Cook
219	aCredit	Georgetown	R. S. McMaster	J. F. Evans
220	aZeredatha	Uxbridge	V. L. Bailey	Harold Sibbert

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1	2nd Tuesday.....	7	5	3	2	—	—	4	—	162	167
2	1st Wednesday.....	3	—	3	1	1	1	5	—	165	164
3	2nd Wednesday.....	2	2	1	—	—	2	4	2	100	94
4	3rd Friday.....	6	5	3	—	1	5	4	7	363	354
5	2nd Tuesday.....	1	1	1	—	—	1	2	—	134	132
6	1st Wednesday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	58	58
7	3rd Thursday.....	2	2	3	—	—	2	5	—	187	182
8	2nd Tuesday.....	3	2	4	3	—	1	8	1	262	255
9	2nd Monday.....	2	2	3	—	—	4	2	1	209	204
1	2nd Tuesday.....	2	4	6	2	—	7	11	7	361	340
3	2nd Thursday.....	—	—	—	2	—	1	3	—	137	135
4	2nd Thursday.....	1	1	1	—	—	1	2	—	102	100
5	1st Wednesday.....	5	7	10	1	1	2	11	1	457	450
6	3rd Friday.....	4	5	5	—	—	10	7	1	321	307
7	1st Tuesday.....	—	—	1	1	—	—	3	—	102	100
8	2nd Thursday.....	2	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	84	85
9	1st Tuesday.....	3	2	2	3	—	1	2	—	110	113
1	1st Wednesday.....	3	2	3	—	—	3	2	—	144	142
2	2nd Monday.....	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	2	111	109
4	1st Tuesday.....	5	1	1	—	—	1	4	—	135	135
5	1st Wednesday.....	12	6	4	4	2	5	11	5	436	433
6	3rd Tuesday.....	6	6	6	—	2	3	7	4	449	443
8	2nd Monday.....	4	1	2	—	—	3	8	3	211	201
9	2nd Tuesday.....	5	3	4	1	—	—	—	—	283	289
0	1st Monday.....	1	3	3	1	—	1	4	—	174	171
1	2nd Thursday.....	3	3	3	—	—	1	2	—	65	65
2	2nd Monday.....	1	1	1	1	—	1	1	—	59	59
4	3rd Thursday.....	2	—	1	1	—	—	4	—	129	128
7	2nd Friday.....	5	3	3	—	—	1	13	—	308	299
8	Fri. on or before F.M.....	5	3	—	—	—	1	4	—	77	77
0	1st Tuesday.....	14	15	13	2	2	4	7	4	444	447
1	2nd Tuesday.....	—	4	4	—	—	—	3	—	94	91
4	1st Thursday.....	2	2	2	—	1	—	4	1	174	172
5	1st Monday.....	2	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	81	83
5	2nd Monday.....	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	54	56
0	4th Thursday.....	2	2	3	2	—	1	5	—	121	119
2	1st Thursday.....	3	3	1	2	—	3	7	—	431	426
3	2nd Monday.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	6	1	165	159
4	2nd Wednesday.....	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	1	127	116
5	1st Monday.....	4	2	1	1	—	—	11	—	223	217
5	2nd Monday.....	7	6	8	—	1	4	4	4	202	198
7	2nd Tuesday.....	2	2	4	—	—	2	1	—	149	148
0	1st Wednesday.....	4	4	5	2	—	—	3	—	116	119
1	2nd Tuesday.....	6	7	8	1	—	4	6	—	214	211
1	3rd Friday.....	2	2	1	1	—	—	2	—	89	90
5	2nd Monday.....	2	2	2	2	—	1	1	—	64	66
7	Tues. on or before F.M.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	4	—	100	97
0	2nd Thursday.....	1	1	2	2	—	—	7	—	89	85
2a	1st Friday.....	6	4	4	4	—	1	14	5	544	534
5	1st Monday.....	4	4	3	1	—	—	1	1	117	120
5	2nd Tuesday.....	5	5	7	1	1	1	8	—	217	215
7	3rd Monday.....	—	2	3	1	—	1	2	—	139	137
8	2nd Monday.....	3	5	3	—	2	5	3	8	245	234
2	2nd Wednesday.....	7	4	3	2	—	1	2	1	222	227
2b	3rd Monday.....	1	2	2	3	—	2	5	—	161	158

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21 aMountain	Thorold	Ange Boccinfuso	W. S. Coolin
22 aMarmora	Marmora	Albert Gray	R. E. Neal
23 aNorwood	Norwood	Orville Clements	Charles MacMillan
24 Huron	Hensall	Rodger Venner	C. D. Hay
25 aBernard	Listowel	W. E. Vyse	B. Hastings, Actg.
28 aPrince Arthur	Odessa	R. T. Heath	K. J. Brown
29 alonic	Brampton	H. M. Little	Russell Grafton
30 Kerr	Barrie	R. O. Gibbons	A. Coates
31 Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	H. L. Clauson	O. E. Andrew
32 aCameron	Dutton	D. K. McKillop	C. J. Beill
33 Doric	Parkhill	Morley Hodgins	C. J. Fox
34 Beaver	Thornbury	Kenneth Teed	W. R. Mackey
35 aAldworth	Paisley	J. R. Cumming	L. B. Evans
36 aManitoba	Cookstown	W. J. Greenacre	D. A. McMaster
37 Vienna	Vienna	C. E. Beattie	Jack Petrie
38 Havelock	Watford	D. S. Wilson	G. C. Searson
39 Tweed	Tweed	Manfred Thomas	C. E. Geen
42 aMacy	Mallorytown	Grange Grothier	A. M. Purvis
43 aSt. George	St. George	G. B. German	G. A. Steedman
45 aTecumseh	Thamesville	G. A. Savage	H. A. Cameron
47 aAshlar	Toronto	E. V. Ralph	W. H. Campbell
49 aCaledonian	Midland	J. R. Newton	J. J. Robins
50 aThistle	Embro	Donald Foster	Symons Muir
53 aMinden	Kingston	H. C. Secker	G. H. Veale
54 aClifton	Niagara Falls	G. A. Stapleton	Ronald Mace
55 aSydenham	Dresden	H. D. Martin	H. L. Martin
56 aFarran-Ault	Ingleside	Reginald Donnelly	G. F. Dafoe
57 aGalt	Galt	James Hunter	G. J. Johnson
58 aGuelph	Guelph	Douglas Dodds	Jacob Pos
59 Springfield	Springfield	S. G. Babcock	F. E. Harris
60 aWashington	Petrolia	James Swass	R. W. Skene
61 aOak Branch	Innerkip	R. H. Curtis	S. J. Hislop
62 aHarriston	Harriston	James Richardson	F. F. Homuth
63 aForest	Forest	Donald Thompson	G. H. Holmes
64 Chaudiere	Ottawa	A. D. Bamford	Edwin Birnie
65 aPatterson	Thornhill	W. R. Keiller	M. H. Parker
66 aNorthern Light	Stayner	Thomas Borthwick	J. R. Flynn
67 Parthenon	Chatham	Harry Mardling	J. E. Brown
68 aVerulam	Bobcaygeon	R. A. Thompson	John Kennedy
69 aBrougham Union	Claremont	K. E. Jones	Lloyd Pugh
70 aCedar	Oshawa	A. W. Wilson	C. E. Houck
71 Wellington	Erin	George Johnson	Stewart Scott
72 aSeymour	Ancaster	F. J. Dorr	T. E. Burton
74 aKent	Blenheim	Donald Stewart	P. Shillington
76 aTeeswater	Teeswater	L. J. DeZeeuw	W. A. McKenzie
77 aSeymour	St. Catharines	T. E. Adams	B. E. Schaab
79 aNew Hope	Hespeler	W. C. Calder	D. E. Meadows
82 aLorne	Glencoe	G. E. McCallum	Kenneth Reycraft
83 aEureka	Belleville	A. A. Foote	J. L. Diamond
84 St. John's	Brussels	Walter Somerville	A. E. Martin
85 Seven Star	Alliston	D. M. McAtter	W. M. Lee
86 aWingham	Wingham	K. A. McLaughlin	George Thomas
87 aShuniah	Thunder Bay	R. M. Zale	G. B. Baxter
89 aDoric	Lobo	John Merrifield	Fred Waugh
90 aLeamington	Leamington	G. E. Meuser	C. E. Willan
91 aDufferin	West Flamboro	F. H. Adams	H. C. Lord

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No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend	Members 31 Dec. 1968	Members 31 Dec. 1969
221	3rd Thursday.....	1	2	3	—	—	—	9	6	275	262
222	3rd Monday.....	2	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	129	132
223	2nd Monday.....	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	82	82
224	4th Monday.....	1	1	1	—	—	2	2	—	100	97
225	3rd Tuesday.....	4	4	4	—	—	2	4	3	215	210
228	3rd Monday.....	6	2	2	—	—	1	3	—	127	129
229	3rd Tuesday.....	10	7	6	2	—	6	11	8	343	330
230	3rd Thursday.....	7	4	7	5	1	4	7	2	349	349
231	3rd Tuesday.....	8	8	8	4	—	1	11	3	317	314
232	1st Wednesday.....	6	7	5	1	—	—	5	1	128	129
233	2nd Tuesday.....	—	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	157	156
234	3rd Tuesday.....	1	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	126	127
235	2nd Thursday.....	2	2	2	1	—	1	3	—	96	95
236	2nd Tuesday.....	2	—	—	1	1	1	2	—	138	139
237	3rd Friday.....	2	3	3	—	—	2	1	—	93	92
238	3rd Tuesday.....	2	1	3	—	—	1	5	—	98	94
239	2nd Friday.....	1	—	—	—	—	2	3	1	135	130
242	4th Monday.....	1	2	5	—	—	—	2	1	91	89
243	1st Tuesday.....	1	1	3	—	—	1	4	—	175	171
245	2nd Monday.....	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	134	135
247	4th Tuesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	4	1	174	170
249	1st Monday.....	5	7	10	—	—	—	11	1	305	298
250	4th Thursday.....	3	3	2	—	—	1	5	2	129	124
253	1st Tuesday.....	3	3	3	1	—	—	6	4	356	350
254	1st Wednesday.....	—	1	1	1	—	1	6	3	294	285
255	2nd Tuesday.....	4	2	2	—	—	1	2	—	148	149
256	2nd Wednesday.....	3	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	94	95
257	1st Tuesday.....	6	6	4	1	—	1	14	—	311	303
258	2nd Tuesday.....	6	6	1	2	1	4	6	7	247	239
259	2nd Monday.....	—	—	1	1	1	2	4	10	129	115
260	1st Wednesday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	170	164
261	2nd Thursday.....	1	1	2	—	—	2	1	—	103	101
262	2nd Monday.....	4	4	1	1	1	1	2	1	155	156
263	2nd Wednesday.....	2	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	143	140
264	4th Tuesday.....	3	5	6	1	2	—	10	2	304	298
265	3rd Thursday.....	4	4	2	—	1	5	8	8	292	276
266	1st Tuesday.....	1	2	2	4	—	2	5	—	178	176
267	1st Wednesday.....	4	3	4	—	—	1	5	3	332	327
268	3rd Friday.....	4	3	2	1	—	1	8	—	139	135
269	1st Wednesday.....	1	4	5	—	—	2	2	—	107	104
270	4th Tuesday.....	6	7	7	3	—	1	9	2	420	417
271	1st Thursday.....	—	—	1	1	—	—	5	—	151	148
272	2nd Tuesday.....	7	9	8	7	—	3	6	—	312	317
274	2nd Monday.....	8	6	4	—	1	2	6	2	248	241
276	2nd Thursday.....	1	1	1	—	—	—	4	—	71	68
277	2nd Wednesday.....	3	3	3	—	—	3	5	7	254	242
279	2nd Monday.....	3	5	2	—	—	1	1	—	116	117
282	2nd Tuesday.....	1	1	2	—	—	—	3	—	135	133
283	2nd Wednesday.....	17	10	5	—	1	1	12	2	511	514
284	2nd Tuesday.....	1	—	—	2	—	1	1	—	76	75
285	2nd Monday.....	6	8	9	2	1	5	4	—	270	271
286	1st Tuesday.....	5	3	2	7	—	5	3	—	173	177
287	1st Tuesday.....	3	4	3	—	1	4	15	2	410	393
289	3rd Wednesday.....	3	4	4	—	—	—	4	1	134	132
290	3rd Tuesday.....	7	5	6	2	1	2	5	—	293	296
291	3rd Thursday.....	2	2	1	—	—	5	3	2	142	134

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292	aRobertson	King City	Douglas Lithgow	Charles Henshaw
294	aMoore	Courtright	W. D. MacDonald	A. S. McClemens
295	aConestogo	Drayton	Terry Reilly	Lloyd McNeil
296	aTemple	St. Catharines	John Fleck	James Thorne
297	aPreston	Preston	R. D. McCormack	D. R. Anderson
299	Victoria	Centreville	Frank Kimmett	Allan Burgess
300	aMount Olivet	Thorndale	L. J. Elliott	J. A. Black
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	R. H. Galloway	K. S. Woodward
303	aBlyth	Blyth	Lloyd Walsh	Harvey Sillib
304	aMinerva	Stroud	L. P. A. Robertson	C. H. Robertson
305	aHumber	Weston	D. C. Danby	Charles Sedore
306	Durham	Durham	Leonard Vollett	C. McGirr
307	aArkona	Arkona	Fred Sercombe	F. E. Muma
309	aMorning Star	Carlow	Donald Treble	T. W. Eedy
311	aBlackwood	Woodbridge	J. W. Young	G. L. McGillivray
312	aPnyx	Wallaceburg	Douglas Bruce	H. B. Sands
313	aClementi	Lakefield	G. E. Fairman	F. A. Payne
314	aBlair	Palmerston	H. J. MacDonald	W. T. Brown
315	Clifford	Clifford	D. E. Murray	John Ferguson
316	aDoric	Toronto	S. C. Griffiths	A. J. Collins
318	aWilnot	Baden	W. E. Zehr	R. S. Sparrow
319	aHiram	Hagersville	R. C. Walter	Oliver Sayer
320	Chesterville	Chesterville	J. H. McMillan	Wilburn Robinson
321	aWalker	Acton	V. J. Patrick	H. L. Ritchie
322	aNorth Star	Owen Sound	W. E. H. Tennant	T. R. Locke
323	aAlvinston	Alvinston	Philip Clements	S. J. Mitchell
324	aTemple	Hamilton	L. G. Green	A. H. Mellanby
325	aOrono	Orono	Wayne Bailey	H. E. Duvall
326	aZeland	Toronto	D. C. Hodgkinson	H. C. Jackson
327	aHammond	Wardsville	R. K. Bowles	W. J. Taylor
328	Ionic	Napier	Fred L. Payne	Evan Denning
329	aKing Solomon	Jarvis	Donald Smelser	W. L. Keen
330	aCorinthian	London	J. P. Smuck	R. W. Young
331	Fordwich	Fordwich	James Stewart	Melville Allan
332	Stratford	Stratford	Albert Large	W. G. Van Slyck
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	George Swanton	J. A. Nichol
334	aPrince Arthur	Arthur	W. S. Goulding	Lloyd Flewelling
336	aHighgate	Highgate	T. W. Vickery	Allan Dickson
337	aMyrtle	Port Robinson	Thomas Williams	L. C. Eller
338	Dufferin	Wellandport	Bruce Stayzer	Neil Jones
339	aOrient	Toronto	Robert Ferguson	A. M. Watt
341	Bruce	Tiverton	John Taylor	Stuart McPherson
343	aGeorgina	Toronto	J. A. MacCallum	P. W. Davies
344	aMerrill	Dorchester	Herbert Watkins	P. V. J. Hale
345	aNilestown	Nilestown	Arthur Fickling	F. S. Whitehall
346	aOccident	Toronto	Harley Morris	G. G. Bonney
347	aMercer	Fergus	W. A. Williams	W. E. Stafford
348	aGeorgian	Midland	Eric Eisenberg	C. S. Wice
352	aGranite	Parry Sound	H. R. Constable	E. Robinson
354	Brock	Cannington	L. A. Patterson	W. J. Beard
356	aRiver Park	Streetsville	D. N. Gardner	K. E. O'Connor
357	aWaterdown	Millgrove	R. E. Halward	Hugh Guild
358	aDelaware Valley	Delaware	Ronald Doane	Milton Kilbourne
359	aVittoria	Vittoria	David Holmes	Omar Thompson
360	aMuskoka	Bracebridge	Myron Beathune	T. H. W. Salmon
361	aWaverley	Guelph	J. A. Runions	R. G. Stephens

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292	3rd Monday.....	5	4	4	1	—	1	5	3	140	138
294	2nd Thursday.....	11	8	8	—	—	—	5	2	111	115
295	3rd Tuesday.....	2	2	3	—	—	3	4	3	100	92
296	3rd Wednesday.....	7	7	7	1	1	3	6	1	279	278
297	3rd Thursday.....	3	3	1	1	—	—	2	—	223	225
299	1st Thursday.....	2	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	73	74
300	3rd Thursday.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	135	136
302	3rd Thursday.....	16	16	7	2	1	4	17	2	503	499
303	3rd Monday.....	1	2	5	—	—	1	2	—	92	80
304	3rd Tuesday.....	5	4	3	1	—	—	7	—	189	188
305	3rd Thursday.....	8	7	7	1	—	2	4	2	244	245
306	2nd Tuesday.....	7	6	4	1	1	1	—	—	150	158
307	1st Thursday.....	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	65	63
309	2nd Wednesday.....	2	2	3	—	—	2	1	—	99	98
311	1st Tuesday.....	2	4	4	—	1	—	1	1	185	186
312	3rd Monday.....	2	3	3	—	—	1	4	1	173	169
313	1st Tuesday.....	3	4	3	—	—	2	5	—	163	159
314	4th Thursday.....	11	11	9	—	—	1	3	—	174	181
315	3rd Monday.....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	68	70
316	3rd Thursday.....	4	3	4	—	—	5	9	—	236	226
318	2nd Thursday.....	2	3	2	3	—	—	1	—	59	63
319	2nd Thursday.....	4	4	6	1	—	3	4	—	175	173
320	2nd Monday.....	1	1	1	—	—	2	2	4	124	117
321	2nd Monday.....	5	4	3	2	1	4	2	2	190	190
322	1st Wednesday.....	3	2	2	1	—	—	5	—	231	230
323	4th Monday.....	1	4	3	1	—	—	—	—	92	94
324	2nd Tuesday.....	7	6	5	—	1	2	16	3	306	293
325	2nd Thursday.....	2	2	2	—	1	1	7	4	137	128
326	3rd Monday.....	6	2	3	—	—	1	6	—	245	244
327	3rd Monday.....	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	4	80	72
328	3rd Wednesday.....	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	57	58
329	3rd Tuesday.....	1	2	2	1	1	—	2	—	91	92
330	1st Tuesday.....	8	7	7	1	—	4	10	—	295	290
331	2nd Thursday.....	1	2	2	—	—	—	2	—	67	66
332	2nd Monday.....	4	6	7	2	1	2	9	2	384	378
333	2nd Friday.....	4	3	3	3	1	2	3	—	149	144
334	3rd Monday.....	4	4	6	—	—	2	2	—	110	110
336	2nd Friday.....	4	4	2	—	1	1	6	2	101	97
337	4th Tuesday.....	1	1	—	—	—	2	3	—	106	102
338	3rd Tuesday.....	3	2	2	1	—	—	2	1	79	80
339	4th Wednesday.....	7	10	9	—	—	4	6	4	301	294
341	4th Tuesday.....	1	3	4	1	—	—	1	—	77	78
343	4th Friday.....	7	3	8	2	—	13	12	—	345	329
344	1st Thursday.....	—	2	3	1	—	1	4	—	131	127
345	3rd Tuesday.....	10	7	7	—	1	2	3	8	262	260
346	3rd Wednesday.....	5	1	1	1	—	1	4	15	372	358
347	2nd Tuesday.....	4	4	4	1	—	5	2	1	198	195
348	1st Thursday.....	3	2	2	—	—	—	2	—	71	72
352	3rd Wednesday.....	7	5	5	3	—	4	7	3	265	261
354	2nd Wednesday.....	2	2	1	—	—	1	6	1	103	97
356	1st Tuesday.....	5	2	1	1	—	3	8	6	172	161
357	3rd Tuesday.....	9	7	7	3	—	2	4	—	301	307
358	2nd Thursday.....	5	2	3	—	—	—	2	—	137	140
359	2nd Friday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	94	91
360	1st Tuesday.....	4	4	1	2	—	—	2	2	196	198
361	2nd Monday.....	4	4	4	3	—	10	6	2	299	288

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362	aMaple Leaf	Tara	T. C. Duff	N. D. Sinclair
364	aDufferin	Melbourne	Ronald McDonald	J. C. McLean
367	aSt. George	Toronto	J. W. Chatwell	W. F. Damp
368	aSalem	Brockville	A. C. Keetch	S. T. Orr
369	aMimico	Etobicoke	J. R. Bradley	John Kendall
370	aHarmony	Delta	Peter Breedyk	Ron Morris
371	aPrince of Wales	Ottawa	R. J. Mayhew	R. H. Sloan
372	aPalmer	Fort Erie	F. A. Sanders	R. E. Gardiner
373	aCope-Stone	Welland	Allan Colquhoun	R. J. Thomas
374	aKeene	Keene	Jack Mackness	D. R. Comrie
375	aLorne	Omeme	Dennis Acreman	T. C. Best
376	aUnity	Huntsville	C. W. Thompson	Max Hayward
377	aLorne	Shelburne	W. H. Rutledge	J. A. Mawdsley
378	aKing Solomon's	London	K. J. Steedman	J. F. Higgins
379	aMiddlesex	Bryanston	J. R. McCullough	S. R. Lasenby
380	aUnion	London	N. H. Lowry	H. L. Peers
382	aDoric	Hamilton	John McKinlay	W. J. Macintosh
383	aHenderson	Winchester	George Hanes	W. A. Sherwood
384	aAlpha	Toronto	James Caldwell	J. Gibson
385	aSpry	Beeton	D. H. Calhoun	A. C. Bulman
386	aMcColl	West Lorne	John Conway	F. H. Morrish
387	aLansdowne	Lansdowne	Kenneth Tedford	George Hamilton
388	aHenderson	Ilderton	J. S. McNair	R. G. Evans
389	aCrystal Fountain	North Augusta	J. H. Davis	W. J. Jones
390	aFlorence	Florence	Ronald Bilton	Lorne Elliott
391	aHoward	Ridgetown	C. L. Nelson	Joseph Raine
392	aHuron	Camlachie	Orville Fleming	Martin Burnley
393	aForest	Chesley	Waldemar Matzanke	C. F. Rae
394	aKing Solomon	Thamesford	R. J. Green	T. R. Nancekivell
395	aParvaim	Comber	George Warnock	Harry Lee
396	aCedar	Wiarion	W. W. Ferguson	I. L. Inglis
397	aLeopold	Brigden	Wm. Williams	R. S. McKellar
398	aVictoria	Kirkfield	D. R. MacMillan	G. V. Grant
399	aMoffat	Harrietsville	E. B. Ford	L. G. Corless
400	aOakville	Oakville	H. L. Heath	O. A. Ling
401	aCraig	Deseronto	W. A. English	Eric Gustafson
402	aCentral	Essex	W. R. O'Neil	T. E. Weaver
403	aWindsor	Windsor	Alvin Irwin	Alex Shaw
404	aLorne	Tamworth	G. H. J. Allen	George Kirk
405	aMattawa	Mattawa	G. E. McLaren	Herman Maxwell
406	aSpry	Fenelon Falls	Frank Lewis	A. T. Smitheram
408	aMurray	Beaverton	C. R. Watson	G. A. Smith
409	aGolden Rule	Gravenhurst	S. J. Perry	R. L. Duncan
410	aZeta	Toronto	J. H. A. White	E. F. Watson
411	aRodney	Rodney	Adam Byers	Victor DeGraw
412	aKeystone	Sault Ste. Marie	D. G. MacGillivray	L. G. Shier
413	aNaphtali	Tilbury	Robert Reid	A. F. Shaw
414	aPequonga	Kenora	W. D. Bodger	D. S. McCunn
415	aFort William	Thunder Bay	P. H. Buhr	Gus Barclay
416	aLyn	Lyn	Robert Hunter	Robert Stick
417	aKeewatin	Keewatin	W. R. Horne	A. W. Welch
418	aMaxville	Maxville	Walter Blaney	J. H. Crawford
419	aLiberty	Sarnia	H. O. Walters	J. C. Craig
420	aNipissing	North Bay	L. McClenaghan	R. H. McNutt
421	aScott	Grand Valley	Milton Clark	Wilfred West
422	aStar of the East	Bothwell	Reed Menzies	Charles Forrest

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362	2nd Monday.....	—	—	3	—	—	—	2	—	61	59
364	3rd Tuesday.....	1	1	1	—	—	2	3	—	74	70
367	1st Friday.....	3	3	2	—	—	5	10	2	335	321
368	2nd Monday.....	9	6	6	—	—	—	14	2	431	424
369	2nd Tuesday.....	4	7	7	3	—	7	9	5	291	277
370	2nd Wednesday.....	1	1	3	1	—	1	3	—	83	81
371	4th Friday.....	1	2	3	2	—	1	15	5	361	343
372	1st Tuesday.....	5	5	7	1	—	2	4	—	281	281
373	1st Thursday.....	2	2	3	—	1	4	3	1	248	243
374	3rd Thursday.....	4	4	2	—	—	1	—	1	89	91
375	2nd Wednesday.....	5	3	4	—	—	3	2	—	138	138
376	2nd Wednesday.....	3	3	2	2	—	3	8	4	213	203
377	1st Friday.....	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	112	108
378	1st Thursday.....	5	5	5	2	1	1	11	5	364	355
379	4th Tuesday.....	2	3	5	1	—	—	5	—	108	106
380	2nd Monday.....	3	2	5	—	—	2	11	3	480	467
382	3rd Monday.....	3	4	4	1	1	2	11	—	409	401
383	2nd Thursday.....	4	2	2	1	—	2	2	—	138	139
384	1st Thursday.....	7	7	4	1	2	7	7	10	311	297
385	3rd Monday.....	1	1	—	1	—	3	2	—	106	103
386	2nd Monday.....	—	—	1	—	1	1	4	—	110	106
387	1st Wednesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	89	90
388	3rd Monday.....	2	1	1	—	—	—	4	—	120	118
389	1st Wednesday.....	1	1	1	—	1	3	—	—	85	84
390	1st Friday.....	—	1	2	—	—	—	3	—	93	90
391	1st Monday.....	1	4	5	3	—	—	8	—	198	194
392	3rd Monday.....	3	2	3	1	—	1	2	3	99	97
393	3rd Monday.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	84	83
394	2nd Wednesday.....	1	1	1	1	—	4	2	—	126	122
395	3rd Friday.....	2	1	1	—	—	3	2	—	67	64
396	1st Tuesday.....	7	4	5	1	—	1	1	4	195	197
397	2nd Wednesday.....	1	1	1	—	—	2	—	—	157	156
398	1st Wednesday.....	2	3	3	1	—	—	5	—	99	97
399	1st Wednesday.....	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	82	85
400	1st Tuesday.....	10	11	10	1	4	5	3	1	326	332
401	1st Tuesday.....	5	4	5	—	—	—	2	5	137	135
402	1st Wednesday.....	5	7	6	2	1	2	6	—	262	262
403	1st Friday.....	3	5	4	—	—	1	10	5	466	453
404	3rd Friday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	78	78
405	1st Tuesday.....	3	3	3	—	—	2	2	4	108	103
406	4th Wednesday.....	2	2	—	2	—	3	4	1	162	158
408	1st Tuesday.....	3	5	5	4	—	1	3	—	130	133
409	2nd Monday.....	6	3	4	4	—	2	6	2	195	195
410	4th Friday.....	5	6	5	—	—	7	5	3	285	275
411	4th Thursday.....	3	3	1	—	—	2	1	1	93	92
412	1st Tuesday.....	7	10	9	1	1	2	16	5	391	377
413	2nd Tuesday.....	—	—	1	—	—	1	2	—	102	99
414	1st Wednesday.....	3	3	2	—	1	5	3	2	248	242
415	2nd Wednesday.....	1	1	1	—	—	—	10	3	389	377
416	1st Tuesday.....	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	86	86
417	1st Friday.....	—	—	1	1	—	—	3	—	87	85
418	2nd Friday.....	—	2	2	1	—	—	3	—	98	96
419	2nd Monday.....	12	10	9	1	—	4	5	7	559	556
420	2nd Monday.....	9	6	7	3	1	6	5	2	342	342
421	1st Monday.....	3	2	1	1	—	—	3	—	123	124
422	Last Wednesday.....	1	3	4	—	—	—	1	—	104	104

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No. of Lodge	Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
423	Strong	Sundridge	Joseph Hornibrook	G. H. Tough
424	aDoric	Pickering	R. H. Bodley	H. S. Anderson
425	aSt. Clair	Sombra	Neil Ross	Lorne Johnston
426	aStanley	Toronto	Aksel Aggerholm	P. J. P. Liscumb
427	aNickel	Sudbury	H. J. McCracken	A. A. Roseborough
428	aFidelity	Port Perry	Wesley Lane	R. H. Cornish
429	aPort Elgin	Port Elgin	W. H. Gorrell	Harold Burke
430	aAcacia	Toronto	Jack Marks	F. C. Pickering
431	aMoravian	Cargill	Lloyd Keyes	Donald Garland
432	aHanover	Hanover	J. Winkler	C. H. Metcalfe
433	aBonnehcchere	Eganville	E. J. Gillingham	G. H. Barrington
434	aAlgonquin	Emsdale	C. M. Murdy	Robert Soper
435	aHavelock	Havelock	John Maly	G. A. Smith
436	aBurns	Hepworth	Robert Lennox	Willis Spencer
437	aTuscan	Sarnia	T. G. Janes	F. J. Sanders
438	aHarmony	Thornhill	George Ormesher	D. S. Cody
439	aAlexandria	Alexandria	Bruce Marr	H. Stimson
440	aArcadia	Minden	Leonard Lonsberry	W. W. Noice
441	aWestport	Westport	Robert McGregor	Charles Woods
442	aDymont	Thessalon	C. J. Palmer	F. W. Elliott
443	aPowassan	Powassan	C. B. Fleetham	W. Pilgrim
444	aNitetis	Creemore	Wm. Young	H. S. Newell
445	aLake of the Woods	Kenora	Douglas Quirk	W. F. Piercy
446	aGranite	Fort Frances	W. A. Cameron	S. G. Ward
447	aSturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	J. F. Giroux	Walter Cockburn
448	aXenophon	Wheatley	R. G. Ferguson	Murray Whaley
449	aDundalk	Dundalk	Harold Ritz	Emerson Ludlow
450	aHawkesbury	Hawkesbury	W. J. Atchison	W. T. R. Hay
451	aSomerville	Kinmount	J. E. Taylor	B. Austin
452	aAvonmore	Avonmore	G. D. Campbell	L. R. Hanley
453	aRoyal	Thunder Bay	E. J. Edwards	A. E. Knox
454	aCorona	Burks Falls	Roy Hallett	R. E. King
455	aDoric	Little Current	L. J. Kerr	L. H. Peck
456	aElma	Monkton	James Mann	Charles Harrison
457	aCentury	Merlin	Arthur Mann	R. J. Reynolds
458	aWales	Long Sault	R. Forest-Jones	E. V. Rice
459	aCobden	Cobden	Leslie Buttle	Stanley Black
460	aRideau	Seeleys Bay	John Mainse	H. H. Eaton
461	aIonic	Rainy River	G. T. Hannam	D. H. Budreau
462	aTemiskaming	New Liskeard	L. L. Eckinsviller	G. W. Lawrence
463	aNorth Entrance	Haliburton	L. C. Roberts	Walter Webb
464	aKing Edward	Sunderland	D. H. Christie	F. H. McInnis
465	aCarleton	Carp	Ralph Bidgood	K. D. McGee
466	aCoronation	Elmvale	James Boyle	Ewart Thurlow
467	aTottenham	Tottenham	Gerald McCallum	Leonard Abernethy
468	aPeel	Caledon East	Norman Martin	J. S. Veals
469	aAlgoma	Sault Ste. Marie	J. R. Watts	D. Willock
470	aVictoria	Victoria Harbour	D. P. Webb	James Tumber
471	aKing Edward VII	Chippawa	B. F. Hawken	E. G. McKenzie
472	aGore Bay	Gore Bay	A. H. Hunt	W. L. Graham
473	aBeaches	Scarborough	Clifton Arnold	T. V. Horner
474	aVictoria	Toronto	G. A. Sterling	C. V. Fleury
475	aDundurn	Hamilton	G. G. Wilkes	J. J. McNichol
476	aCorinthian	North Gower	Gordon Bond	D. K. McLeod
477	aHarding	Woodville	R. J. Gorrill	Hugh Imrie
478	aMilverton	Milverton	Glenn Graul	M. P. Schaub

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No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend	Members 31 Dec. 1968	Members 31 Dec. 1969
423	3rd Monday.....	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	113	113
424	3rd Thursday.....	11	10	12	3	—	2	3	—	242	251
425	3rd Tuesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	1	—	76	76
426	1st Tuesday.....	3	2	2	—	—	—	7	—	286	282
427	1st Wednesday.....	8	7	9	3	—	1	11	5	476	470
428	2nd Tuesday.....	3	4	4	—	—	2	2	1	185	183
429	3rd Thursday.....	2	2	2	—	—	2	1	2	101	98
430	3rd Monday.....	6	5	6	2	1	5	8	6	286	276
431	3rd Monday.....	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	50	51
432	Last Monday.....	3	—	—	3	—	3	3	—	110	110
433	2nd Monday.....	1	1	1	—	—	1	5	1	110	104
434	3rd Tuesday.....	3	3	3	2	2	1	2	—	133	136
435	4th Monday.....	1	2	1	2	—	1	3	—	145	144
436	2nd Tuesday.....	2	2	3	—	—	—	1	—	92	93
437	3rd Wednesday.....	7	6	8	1	—	4	11	3	388	378
438	3rd Wednesday.....	2	3	3	—	—	2	2	—	141	139
439	2nd Tuesday.....	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	4	96	82
440	2nd Friday.....	—	—	2	2	—	1	2	1	133	131
441	1st Thursday.....	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	2	83	80
442	2nd Thursday.....	6	3	5	2	—	3	3	4	173	171
443	2nd Friday.....	—	—	2	2	—	1	1	—	145	145
444	3rd Monday.....	1	1	1	—	—	2	2	—	141	138
445	2nd Wednesday.....	3	1	—	—	—	1	3	3	182	178
446	1st Tuesday.....	3	2	3	—	1	2	5	3	241	235
447	2nd Thursday.....	3	3	2	—	—	—	2	—	86	87
448	3rd Thursday.....	1	2	2	1	—	—	3	3	162	158
449	3rd Monday.....	4	1	—	1	—	—	3	—	120	122
450	3rd Thursday.....	2	2	4	—	—	—	1	1	127	127
451	1st Thursday.....	1	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	55	53
452	3rd Monday.....	5	3	2	—	—	1	4	—	86	86
453	1st Wednesday.....	10	8	11	1	—	3	5	—	265	268
454	2nd Monday.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	2	—	90	89
455	2nd Tuesday.....	2	3	3	1	—	—	1	—	127	129
456	1st Thursday.....	1	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	66	66
457	3rd Tuesday.....	1	2	1	—	—	3	1	—	111	108
458	2nd Monday.....	2	2	2	3	1	—	2	—	99	103
459	2nd Tuesday.....	1	1	1	—	—	—	5	—	132	128
460	1st Thursday.....	1	2	2	2	1	—	1	—	102	105
461	1st Thursday.....	1	1	1	1	—	1	5	—	124	120
462	3rd Thursday.....	2	2	4	1	—	2	6	5	155	141
463	3rd Wednesday.....	3	2	1	1	—	—	1	—	157	160
464	2nd Thursday.....	2	2	4	—	—	1	5	—	134	130
465	4th Thursday.....	3	2	2	—	—	—	1	1	95	94
466	3rd Thursday.....	5	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	126	129
467	1st Monday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	70	68
468	2nd Friday.....	3	3	5	2	—	1	8	—	170	166
469	1st Monday.....	5	3	2	2	2	3	6	5	433	428
470	3rd Tuesday.....	5	5	7	3	—	2	4	2	93	93
471	1st Wednesday.....	3	4	4	1	—	—	3	—	150	151
472	1st Wednesday.....	3	3	3	—	—	—	1	—	126	128
473	1st Thursday.....	3	4	2	—	—	4	2	1	169	165
474	3rd Tuesday.....	6	9	11	—	1	2	4	3	286	284
475	3rd Saturday.....	2	3	3	—	3	1	10	6	387	375
476	1st Friday.....	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	3	104	101
477	2nd Monday.....	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	100	101
478	2nd Monday.....	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	1	101	94

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479	Russell	Russell	J. Arthur Harrison	R. W. Gamble
480	aWilliamsburg	Williamsburg	Keith Munro	Graham Garlough
481	aCorinthian	Toronto	John Walton	G. E. Hough
482	aBancroft	Bancroft	C. M. Jewell	R. W. Blatherwick
483	aGranton	Granton	W. B. German	A. E. Watson
484	aGolden Star	Dryden	F. A. Gamble	D. R. Raine
485	aHaileybury	Haileybury	W. R. Grozelle	Wm. Cavanagh
486	aSilver	Cobalt	E. C. Revoir	M. E. Sadler
487	aPenewobikong	Blind River	R. Ferguson	R. Wildman
488	aKing Edward	Harrow	Howard Peacey	G. L. Graham
489	aOsiris	Smiths Falls	G. F. Hilton	Fred Fairfield
490	aHiram	Markdale	C. C. Soul	C. W. Tebbutt
491	aCardinal	Cardinal	F. D. Armstrong	E. D. McQuade
492	aKarnak	Coldwater	H. J. Smith	M. E. Yon
494	aRiverdale	Toronto	N. M. Harman	Herbert Claridge
495	aElectric	Hamilton	Kenneth Graham	D. M. Ritchie
496	aUniversity	Toronto	J. F. Johnson	G. H. Sinclair
497	aSt. Andrew's	Arden	C. W. Morley	Art Cox
498	aKing George V	Cobocok	L. E. Mackie	E. B. White
499	aPort Arthur	Thunder Bay	J. P. Antoniak	W. F. Poole
500	aRose	Windsor	J. A. Richards	J. D. W. McCracken
501	aConnaught	Mimico	W. J. Long	E. M. Dolan
502	aCoronation	Smithville	R. H. Swick	J. A. McCutchen
503	aInwood	Inwood	Bert Simpson	B. A. Russell
504	aOtter	Lombardy	W. A. Bennett	D. E. Duff
505	aLynden	Lynden	Neil Fair	Kenneth Stutt
506	aPorcupine	South Porcupine	B. A. Bauman	A. Nissen
507	aElk Lake	Elk Lake	R. J. Belec	R. J. Howard
508	aOzias	Brantford	R. W. Crouch	J. M. Buchanan
509	aTwin City	Kitchener	J. C. Washburn	H. H. Raddatz
510	aParkdale	Etobicoke	D. A. Drysdale	Bruce Craine
511	aConnaught	Thunder Bay	W. P. Harris	A. A. Gunnell
512	aMalone	Sutton West	George Storey	J. H. Day
513	aCorinthian	Hamilton	Ronald Mercer	A. G. Elford
514	aSt. Alban's	Toronto	M. F. Mann	G. R. Flint
515	aReba	Brantford	L. J. Taylor	T. E. Greenaway
516	aEnterprise	Beachburg	G. B. Schultz	Eric Stevenson
517	aHazeldean	Hazeldean	F. D. Spearman	W. G. Oliver
518	aSioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout	E. V. Uhler	S. E. Oslund
519	aOnondaga	Onondaga	Reg. Glass	Ross Mannen
520	aCoronati	Toronto	J. A. Prince	R. J. Woods
521	aOntario	Windsor	C. S. Wild	R. V. Wakeley
522	aMount Sinai	Toronto	Carl Rees	Leo Morse
523	aRoyal Arthur	Peterborough	Frank Millard	J. C. Freeman
524	aMississauga	Port Credit	Arthur Slacer	A. E. Gerhart
525	aTemple	Toronto	C. F. Harvey	D. G. Airhart
526	aIonic	Ottawa	G. M. McIlveen	C. C. Cotie
527	aEspanola	Espanola	R. A. McKittrick	A. C. Mackenzie
528	aGolden Beaver	Timmins	W. R. Jones	W. A. McGregor
529	aMyra	Komoka	Willis Burt	J. L. Savage
530	aCochrane	Cochrane	C. B. Simms	G. D. Tibbles
531	aHigh Park	Thornhill	Frank Natrass	W. R. Sharpe
532	aCanada	Toronto	Fred. Schuch	H. W. Lyons
533	aShamrock	Toronto	R. Nettleton	R. Lindsey
534	aEnglehart	Englehart	Lloyd Briggs	E. A. Smith
535	aPhoenix	Fonthill	D. W. Dixon	E. L. Franks

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479	3rd Monday	1	—	1	—	1	1	2	—	116	115
480	Thurs. on or before F.M.	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	62	61
481	4th Thursday	4	3	5	2	—	3	6	7	260	250
482	2nd Monday	11	11	7	3	—	1	5	5	250	253
483	1st Monday	1	2	3	1	1	—	—	—	83	86
484	2nd Tuesday	6	10	12	2	1	2	4	1	233	235
485	1st Thursday	2	2	2	—	1	2	—	—	95	96
486	1st Monday	1	1	1	—	—	—	5	—	137	133
487	2nd Monday	1	1	2	2	—	3	1	—	138	136
488	2nd Wednesday	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	163	160
489	2nd Thursday	6	1	—	—	—	1	7	4	179	173
490	2nd Thursday	1	1	1	2	—	2	2	—	85	84
491	3rd Tuesday	1	1	1	—	—	—	2	2	86	83
492	1st Thursday	3	2	3	—	—	—	5	5	118	111
494	2nd Friday	6	7	6	—	—	1	8	3	222	216
495	3rd Tuesday	7	4	5	2	—	1	5	15	408	396
496	2nd Wednesday	2	—	—	1	2	2	8	5	216	206
497	3rd Friday	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	1	122	118
498	1st Monday	2	2	1	1	—	—	3	1	80	79
499	2nd Monday	4	3	2	1	—	3	11	6	360	345
500	2nd Tuesday	2	2	2	1	—	1	3	2	188	185
501	2nd Thursday	9	13	8	1	—	4	13	2	379	370
502	2nd Monday	2	2	3	2	1	—	3	—	115	117
503	1st Monday	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	90	90
504	2nd Tuesday	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	52	53
505	2nd Wednesday	5	4	4	1	—	4	2	1	150	149
506	1st Thursday	3	4	6	1	—	4	5	4	147	138
507	2nd Tuesday	5	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	76	79
508	3rd Tuesday	4	—	3	—	1	1	3	7	224	218
509	2nd Friday	6	4	6	1	—	5	4	1	280	276
510	2nd Wednesday	10	5	3	—	1	4	7	3	180	177
511	3rd Monday	7	7	7	—	2	3	3	1	252	254
512	1st Wednesday	2	3	3	1	1	6	1	3	146	140
513	4th Thursday	4	4	6	1	—	2	10	2	388	379
514	4th Monday	3	3	3	1	—	4	6	2	214	206
515	2nd Friday	5	5	4	3	—	6	9	3	355	345
516	1st Monday	2	2	1	—	—	—	2	1	89	88
517	3rd Wednesday	4	6	8	5	1	—	4	—	101	107
518	1st Monday	3	4	6	1	1	2	6	—	167	164
519	4th Tuesday	2	2	2	—	—	3	—	—	119	118
520	2nd Tuesday	6	6	5	—	—	1	6	5	276	270
521	1st Monday	5	4	2	—	1	—	10	12	395	379
522	2nd Tuesday	18	13	14	2	—	4	11	1	595	599
523	1st Monday	2	4	5	—	1	7	6	4	309	295
524	2nd Thursday	9	9	8	6	—	5	5	3	326	328
525	4th Tuesday	1	2	3	—	—	3	5	2	178	169
526	2nd Wednesday	8	4	4	—	1	4	8	—	439	436
527	1st Wednesday	2	5	2	1	—	—	5	—	167	165
528	2nd Wednesday	4	5	8	1	—	3	2	—	233	233
529	2nd Monday	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	68	67
530	2nd Thursday	9	11	12	—	—	3	2	—	176	180
531	4th Thursday	9	9	8	1	—	2	5	2	284	285
532	1st Friday	8	6	7	—	1	2	14	3	379	369
533	3rd Tuesday	7	8	5	1	—	3	3	3	180	179
534	2nd Monday	2	2	4	—	—	1	1	—	148	148
535	3rd Monday	2	2	2	—	—	3	2	4	185	178

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536	aAlgonquin	Copper Cliff	V. F. Koivu	G. A. Heale
537	aUlster	Toronto	R. B. Nosworthy	C. M. Platten
538	aEarl Kitchener	Port McNicoll	D. J. Spencer	Verne Rumney
539	aWaterloo	Waterloo	J. A. Hertel	W. R. Smith
540	aAbitibi	Iroquois Falls	Gerald Pratt	H. T. Beaton, Sr.
541	aTuscan	Toronto	J. C. Risley	N. C. Gourlie
542	aMetropolitan	Toronto	W. L. French	W. R. Daniels
543	aImperial	Toronto	H. M. Flint	R. A. Gibson
544	aLincoln	Abingdon	Charles Deavu	J. H. Clark
545	aJ. R. Robertson	Toronto	F. B. Young	L. E. Love
546	aTalbot	St. Thomas	K. R. Verrill	L. R. Hoag
547	aVictory	Toronto	W. J. Ferris	Richard Lough
548	aGeneral Mercer	Toronto	P. E. Cleal	A. S. McClement
549	aIonic	Hamilton	Clifford Tootell	J. F. Jennings
550	aBuchanan	Hamilton	E. B. Arkell	Joseph Hobson
551	aTuscan	Hamilton	J. C. Hanson	W. B. Matthews
552	aQueen City	Toronto	J. A. Balmer	Bert O'Neill
553	aOakwood	Toronto	Donald Collinson	A. M. Lawson
554	aBorder Cities	Windsor	G. A. Smith	G. M. Wilson
555	aWardrobe	Hamilton	J. R. Boyd	M. E. Smith
556	aNation	Spencerville	G. J. Purcell	H. G. Reddick
557	aFinch	Finch	Clayton Shaver	D. K. MacLean
558	aS. A. Luke	Ottawa	F. K. Goldie	Z. M. Niblock
559	aPalestine	Toronto	J. S. Olin	Herman Ginsberg
560	aSt. Andrew's	Ottawa	T. P. Flint	L. J. C. Rule
561	aAcacia	Ottawa	S. C. Gratto	C. W. Carson
562	aHamilton	Hamilton	George Goodbrand	F. H. Fletcher
563	aVictory	Chatham	R. L. Waddell	Alfred Mills
564	aAshlar	Ottawa	J. J. Reid	S. G. Davis
565	aKilwinning	Toronto	F. E. Blackman	G. E. Langley
566	aKing Hiram	Toronto	D. G. Kelman	J. Kemp
567	aSt. Aidan's	Scarborough	R. W. Allan	H. J. Jeffery
568	aHullett	Londesborough	Donald Buchanan	Albert Shobbrook
569	aDoric	Lakeside	J. W. Seaton	Donald Seaton
570	aDufferin	Toronto	W. W. McIndoe	D. B. McNaught
571	aAntiquity	Toronto	W. P. Karda	Norman Anderson
572	aMizpah	Toronto	E. E. Baker	T. J. A. Gamey
573	aAdoniram	Niagara Falls	P. J. Murphy	W. G. Wisby
574	aCraig	Ailsa Craig	Douglas Lewis	D. W. McLeod
575	aFidelity	Toronto	M. McClelland	W. A. Bevis
576	aMimosa	Toronto	R. E. Smith	W. G. McCulloch
577	aSt. Clair	Thornhill	A. S. C. Wilson	F. N. Fletcher
578	aQueen's	Kingston	H. S. Cox	J. A. MacLeod
579	aHarmony	Windsor	K. J. Vannan	J. W. Carr
580	aAcacia	London	A. B. Smith	H. C. Steele
581	aHarcourt	Toronto	R. J. Zimmermann	A. C. Batten
582	aSunnyside	Toronto	W. A. Wharton	Jack Crawford
583	aTransportation	Toronto	V. R. Poirier	F. W. Charles
584	aKaministiquia	Thunder Bay	Oliver Lammi	H. M. Barth
585	aRoyal Edward	Kingston	J. B. Cooney	E. Martin
586	aRemembrance	Thornhill	D. M. Saunders	E. J. Swanton
587	aPatricia	Thornhill	W. E. Lowry	R. J. Waddell
588	aNational	Capreol	H. Fleming	Herbert Jordan
589	aGrey	Toronto	Steve Adams	J. F. Petherick
590	aDefenders	Ottawa	J. S. Lamont	H. R. Haywood
591	aNorth Gate	Toronto	R. J. Newell	R. F. Lightfoot

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No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend	Members 31 Dec. 1968	Members 31 Dec. 1969
536	3rd Tuesday.....	5	6	7	—	—	1	6	—	311	309
537	4th Monday.....	2	4	4	1	—	3	12	1	401	389
538	2nd Tuesday.....	4	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	59	62
539	1st Wednesday.....	5	6	10	2	—	1	6	3	346	343
540	3rd Friday.....	2	2	2	1	—	—	1	—	133	135
541	3rd Friday.....	3	3	3	—	1	1	9	2	193	185
542	2nd Wednesday.....	4	3	5	1	—	2	6	—	207	204
543	2nd Monday.....	4	4	3	2	1	3	6	5	254	247
544	3rd Friday.....	5	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	71	76
545	3rd Tuesday.....	4	3	3	—	—	3	10	3	286	274
546	4th Thursday.....	13	11	13	2	—	1	9	9	407	399
547	1st Tuesday.....	4	3	6	1	—	1	4	4	217	181
548	2nd Friday.....	2	2	3	1	—	7	12	2	303	285
549	1st Wednesday.....	10	13	11	—	1	5	8	10	403	391
550	1st Thursday.....	6	7	8	1	—	2	9	9	310	297
551	2nd Tuesday.....	10	5	1	1	—	6	13	8	508	492
552	1st Wednesday.....	11	9	10	1	2	7	16	1	489	479
553	2nd Monday.....	5	4	5	1	—	7	7	3	351	340
554	1st Wednesday.....	2	4	4	—	1	2	5	3	192	184
555	4th Monday.....	4	2	2	3	2	2	8	5	343	337
556	1st Friday.....	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	86	87
557	1st Thursday.....	—	1	—	—	—	—	5	—	130	125
558	2nd Wednesday.....	4	2	1	—	—	2	4	2	188	184
559	4th Wednesday.....	8	7	12	1	—	5	12	—	560	552
560	1st Thursday.....	5	6	6	2	—	5	12	5	487	473
561	3rd Tuesday.....	8	10	10	2	—	4	7	4	303	298
562	1st Tuesday.....	—	—	—	—	1	2	6	—	257	248
563	2nd Tuesday.....	7	6	5	2	—	3	7	4	281	276
564	1st Friday.....	3	6	4	2	—	—	5	1	216	215
565	3rd Friday.....	5	3	7	1	1	5	11	2	412	401
566	1st Friday.....	6	4	5	1	—	3	9	6	249	238
567	4th Tuesday.....	3	3	2	1	—	1	7	2	150	144
568	2nd Tuesday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	61	60
569	1st Tuesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	—	2	—	104	104
570	1st Tuesday.....	2	2	2	1	—	7	4	5	214	201
571	4th Tuesday.....	7	5	4	—	—	1	6	3	217	214
572	2nd Wednesday.....	2	3	5	—	—	—	10	3	220	209
573	1st Monday.....	6	4	4	—	—	2	3	—	199	200
574	1st Tuesday.....	2	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	98	99
575	3rd Wednesday.....	1	3	2	—	—	2	3	4	206	198
576	1st Monday.....	7	7	7	—	—	4	5	—	263	261
577	3rd Monday.....	5	3	3	1	1	1	3	2	207	208
578	2nd Wednesday.....	3	4	3	—	1	—	2	4	218	212
579	1st Thursday.....	2	3	3	—	1	3	5	9	250	236
580	1st Wednesday.....	3	3	3	3	1	1	3	—	339	342
581	2nd Thursday.....	2	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	93	96
582	4th Tuesday.....	7	7	6	3	—	2	9	—	316	315
583	3rd Wednesday.....	6	6	8	—	—	8	7	6	318	303
584	3rd Tuesday.....	6	6	5	1	—	—	1	—	202	208
585	4th Friday.....	1	—	—	—	2	1	8	1	254	247
586	2nd Friday.....	1	1	—	2	—	2	4	4	243	236
587	2nd Wednesday.....	7	6	5	1	—	8	6	6	249	237
588	1st Tuesday.....	3	1	2	—	—	1	3	—	163	162
589	1st Monday.....	3	4	5	—	—	2	5	1	177	172
590	1st Wednesday.....	8	7	7	2	1	4	4	4	225	224
591	2nd Thursday.....	3	2	4	1	1	6	4	2	257	250

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No. of Lodge	Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
592	aFairbank	Toronto	N. E. Heimbecker	George Paul
593	aSt. Andrew's	Hamilton	N. E. Fair	Robert Strachan
594	aHillcrest	Hamilton	R. T. Wingfield	W. T. Bacon
595	Rideau	Ottawa	T. K. McMullen	W. G. Dalzell
596	Martintown	Martintown	L. A. MacGregor	Gordon MacGregor
597	aTemple	London	G. K. Bungay	W. J. M. Fuller
598	aDominion	Windsor	G. W. Stannard	J. W. Flavell
599	aMount Dennis	Weston	E. C. Reeves	Anthony Conti
600	aMaple Leaf	Etobicoke	Andrew Andruchiw	H. Noble
601	aSaint Paul	Sarnia	John Shields	
602	aHugh Murray	Hamilton	Adam Beveridge	D. C. Matthews
603	aCampbell	Campbellville	D. H. McMillan	G. R. Carbert
604	aPalace	Windsor	J. A. Wood	Harry Taylor
605	aMelita	Thornhill	J. G. McGregor	Edwin Lister
606	aUnity	Toronto	E. J. Coe	H. Browning
607	aGolden Fleece	Toronto	Richard Wynn	H. R. Huxley
608	aGothic	Lindsay	G. Henry	J. A. Calvert
609	Tavistock	Tavistock	Wallace Ross	Henry Fullick
610	aAshlar	London	Clayton Salisbury	H. A. Unwin
611	aHuron-Bruce	Toronto	W. J. Sawyer	C. S. Farmer
612	aBirch Cliff	Scarborough	R. W. Kerr	Allen Meyer
613	aFort Erie	Fort Erie	K. G. Hooper	Clifford Hardy
614	aAdanac	St. Catharines	Roy Binning	Alex Thomson
615	aDominion	Ridgeway	E. W. Leach	G. A. Lewis
616	aPerfection	St. Catharines	F. C. Luby	M. J. Overend
617	aNorth Bay	North Bay	E. W. Knechtel	C. Dennis
618	aThunder Bay	Thunder Bay	Thomas Fell	R. W. Parker
619	aRunnymede	Toronto	Robert Partridge	Harry Sare
620	aBay of Quinte	Thornhill	T. R. Rhind	W. D. Moss
621	aFrontenac	Sharbot Lake	Virgil Garrett	Roscoe Garrett
622	aLorne	Chapleau	B. B. Collings	K. Knight
623	aDoric	Kirkland Lake	R. J. A. Dinnen	F. Washington
624	aDereham	Mount Elgin	J. A. Hutchison	W. J. M. Hart
625	aHatherly	Sault Ste. Marie	C. C. Ferguson	D. N. McCormack
626	aStamford	Niagara Falls	J. E. Healey	S. C. R. Perkins
627	aPelee	Pelee Island	M. Krestel Jr.	H. V. D. Beard
628	aGlenrose	Elmira	Ronald Melitzer	C. E. Blow
629	aGrenville	Toronto	R. E. P. Coleman	H. J. Howard
630	aPrince of Wales	Toronto	D. Yerex	T. E. Ivens
631	aManitou	Emo	W. W. Masbeck	Philip Ringham
632	aLong Branch	Mimico	A. R. Medhurst	H. W. Gibbons
633	aHastings	Hastings	T. S. Seaborn	H. J. McColl
634	aDelta	Toronto	M. J. Elliott	H. M. Gordon
635	aWellington	Toronto	J. J. Ryder	L. A. Callingham
636	aHornepayne	Hornepayne	C. K. Firman	B. E. Doyle
637	aCaledonia	Toronto	Albert Vuyk Jr.	L. Chamberlain
638	aBedford	Toronto	J. W. Holder	H. S. Robinson
639	aBeach	Hamilton Beach	R. G. Churchill	Elvin Binkley
640	aAnthony Sayer	Mimico	T. E. S. Alderwick	E. A. Skinner
641	aGarden	Windsor	R. A. Butler	J. G. Kirkwood
642	aSt. Andrew's	Windsor	S. R. Adams	C. W. Flett
643	aCathedral	Toronto	W. C. O'Neill	G. A. Bick
644	aSimcoe	Toronto	A. S. Brown	Murdoch McIver
645	aLake Shore	Mimico	H. G. Blanche	H. E. Newton
646	aRowland	Mount Albert	J. F. Hopkins	Wm. Shillinglaw
647	aTodmorden	Toronto	O. Booth	Roy Moss

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592	3rd Monday.....	5	5	4	—	—	2	7	1	210	205
593	4th Wednesday.....	12	11	10	2	1	6	17	3	645	634
594	2nd Monday.....	4	9	8	1	4	6	4	21	306	284
595	2nd Thursday.....	4	4	3	2	—	6	5	2	284	277
596	2nd Thursday.....	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	74	75
597	2nd Wednesday.....	7	4	4	—	1	3	11	11	236	219
598	1st Wednesday.....	6	7	4	—	—	2	6	—	284	282
599	1st Wednesday.....	8	7	7	1	1	5	13	4	402	390
600	1st Tuesday.....	4	3	3	3	—	9	—	3	272	267
601	2nd Wednesday.....	5	5	8	1	—	—	3	12	259	250
602	3rd Tuesday.....	8	9	8	1	1	13	10	11	446	422
603	1st Tuesday.....	3	5	4	2	—	2	1	—	139	141
604	2nd Thursday.....	5	6	5	—	—	6	4	8	364	351
605	2nd Tuesday.....	4	3	4	—	—	2	5	3	204	198
606	2nd Wednesday.....	1	—	—	2	4	3	5	7	202	194
607	3rd Thursday.....	3	2	1	—	1	4	5	5	199	189
608	3rd Monday.....	1	—	1	1	—	4	2	—	155	151
609	2nd Tuesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	1	5	—	128	124
610	4th Monday.....	4	3	2	—	—	3	3	3	188	175
611	2nd Thursday.....	7	9	4	—	1	3	6	3	230	226
612	2nd Friday.....	11	9	10	5	—	7	4	6	397	396
613	3rd Tuesday.....	—	4	5	2	—	2	6	—	217	211
614	1st Thursday.....	3	2	2	2	—	2	4	—	219	218
615	1st Thursday.....	3	3	1	—	—	—	4	—	107	106
616	2nd Monday.....	3	4	5	1	—	4	8	7	206	191
617	2nd Friday.....	7	10	8	2	4	3	6	6	321	319
618	1st Thursday.....	4	3	5	—	—	2	1	—	234	235
619	2nd Wednesday.....	4	8	10	1	—	4	2	—	168	167
620	4th Monday.....	3	5	7	—	—	6	4	7	204	190
621	2nd Friday.....	3	2	1	—	—	—	4	—	136	135
622	1st Thursday.....	1	1	1	—	1	1	2	2	140	137
623	2nd Thursday.....	4	6	7	—	1	—	6	2	245	242
624	1st Tuesday.....	—	1	2	—	—	1	1	—	107	105
625	2nd Thursday.....	7	9	5	1	1	—	2	—	139	146
626	2nd Wednesday.....	2	1	1	1	—	1	4	1	276	273
627	1st Tuesday.....	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	48	36
628	3rd Tuesday.....	2	1	—	1	—	5	4	1	97	90
629	2nd Friday.....	3	5	5	—	—	3	4	1	250	245
630	4th Friday.....	3	2	2	—	—	—	4	—	133	132
631	3rd Thursday.....	2	3	4	—	—	—	2	3	129	126
632	3rd Tuesday.....	7	5	8	3	—	—	3	1	194	200
633	4th Wednesday.....	3	5	2	—	—	2	2	—	87	86
634	2nd Tuesday.....	4	3	2	—	1	8	4	1	224	216
635	1st Friday.....	5	6	5	1	—	5	5	—	242	238
636	2nd Wednesday.....	7	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	115	121
637	3rd Monday.....	15	13	11	4	—	4	17	2	523	519
638	3rd Tuesday.....	2	2	2	—	—	2	7	1	161	153
639	2nd Tuesday.....	7	7	10	2	1	5	4	1	228	228
640	3rd Friday.....	1	1	2	1	—	1	1	2	111	109
641	1st Friday.....	4	4	3	1	1	1	5	—	204	204
642	2nd Friday.....	1	3	4	—	—	1	7	1	187	179
643	1st Thursday.....	4	4	5	—	—	3	—	—	200	201
644	2nd Thursday.....	6	5	1	—	—	6	4	1	217	212
645	1st Monday.....	12	9	12	2	—	3	5	—	250	256
646	1st Tuesday.....	3	2	1	1	—	—	2	1	95	96
647	1st Monday.....	8	7	9	—	—	3	8	2	276	271

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648	aSpruce Falls	Kapuskasing	R. S. Walsh	W. V. Zacharuk
649	aTemple	Oshawa	Ralph Gulliver	David F. Simpson
650	aFidelity	Toledo	Kenneth Baker	G. S. Moran
651	aDentonla	Toronto	G. F. Martin	Wm. Tennent
652	aMemorial	Toronto	W. J. M. Hunter	L. F. Buttlar
653	aScarboro	Scarborough	Walter White	N. R. Davis
654	aAncient Landmarks	Hamilton	T. W. McGuffin	L. A. Staples
655	aKingsway	Etobicoke	Allan Plowright	Frank Knott
656	aKenogamis	Geraldton	Alexander Wilson	L. R. Sinclair
657	aCorinthian	Kirkland Lake	M. C. Hettrick	H. A. Gauld
658	aSudbury	Sudbury	D. J. Marshall	Harold McMaster
659	aEquity	Orillia	J. S. Brown	Charles Marquis
660	aChukuni	Red Lake	D. F. Reid	Donald Wilkes
661	aSt. Andrew's	St. Catharines	Arthur McKinnon	D. M. Donnelly
662	aTerrace Bay	Terrace Bay	S. Lundberg	E. S. Brown
663	aBrant	Burlington	H. A. Lillicrop	W. W. Wright
664	aSunnylea	Etobicoke	Clarence Alderson	G. E. Tapp
665	aTemple	Ottawa	M. D. Parke-Taylor	T. H. Birch
666	aTemple	Belleville	H. E. McConnell	E. G. Price
667	aComposite	Hamilton	F. G. Barker	W. T. Bacon
668	aAtikokan	Atikokan	W. R. Mazurkewich	D. R. Buie
669	aCorinthian	Cornwall	R. E. Rutley	S. L. McLaren
670	aWest Hill	Scarborough	G. W. Ellis	A. J. Grigsby
671	aWestmount	Hamilton	J. W. Henderson	A. G. Adams
672	aSuperior	Red Rock	H. W. Hill	Wm. Moore
673	aKempfenfeldt	Barrie	W. P. Paulin	D. H. Pudden
674	aSouth Gate	Port Credit	G. A. Lennox	L. C. Smith
675	aWilliam James Dunlop	Peterborough	R. M. Watson	J. A. Hill
676	aKroy	Thornhill	N. B. Perrault	G. A. Vallery
677	aCoronation	Weston	Alexander Currie	L. H. Sommerville
678	aMercer Wilson	Woodstock	G. L. Manship	E. E. Nadalin
679	aCentennial	Niagara Falls	E. F. Goodyear	W. A. H. Lowe
680	aWoodland	Wawa	Jack Campbell	R. C. Barstead
681	aClaude M. Kent	Oakville	G. E. Donnelly	L. H. Campbell
682	aAstra	Weston	L. E. Peach	J. C. Wardlaw
683	aWexford	Scarborough	W. G. Johnson	R. D. Parsons
684	aCentennial	London	H. S. Taggart	C. J. Hill
685	aJoseph A. Hearn	Port Credit	Reginald Smith	L. F. Inns
686	aAtomic	Deep River	F. A. D. Mulcahy	G. K. Shultz
687	aMeridian	Dundas	W. E. Bryans	A. D. Hahnau
688	aWyndham	Guelph	E. J. Brown	R. G. Tucker
689	aFlower City	Brampton	Dennis Warren	L. A. Nix
690	aTemple	Kitchener	A. K. Shirk	T. C. Boon
691	aFriendship	Copper Cliff	P. E. Fairhall	K. R. Pollock
692	aT. H. Simpson	Stoney Creek	D. W. Carter	J. E. Ascott
693	aEast Gate	Scarborough	Wm. Dunlop	D. B. Filsinger
694	aBaldoon	Wallaceburg	K. A. Carscallen	K. R. Colwell
695	aParkwood	Oshawa	J. H. Snyder	J. G. Porter
696	aHarry L. Martyn	Toronto	Lloyd Yeomans	R. J. Woods
697	aGrantham	St. Catharines	John Powell	F. L. Collard
698	aElliot Lake	Elliot Lake	J. Robinson	R. C. Russell
699	aBethel	Sudbury	R. A. Larsen	L. S. J. Atkinson
700	aCorinthian	Kintore	H. W. Henderson	Wm. Mac Henderson
701	aAshlar	Tillsonburg	D. R. Growcott	S. E. L. Woodman
702	aLodge of Fellowship	Richmond Hill	B. E. Stewart	H. R. Nelson
703	aLodge of the Pillars	Weston	W. A. Cook	Hyman Bocknek

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649	3rd Tuesday.....	6	4	7	1	—	1	8	2	352	348
650	1st Monday.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	75	73
651	1st Thursday.....	6	4	3	1	—	8	6	12	294	275
652	2nd Monday.....	4	4	4	—	—	—	6	—	254	252
653	2nd Monday.....	5	6	7	4	—	6	1	13	284	273
654	3rd Wednesday.....	2	3	4	2	—	2	2	1	197	196
655	3rd Monday.....	4	4	4	1	—	5	2	—	162	160
656	1st Wednesday.....	2	2	4	—	—	4	8	3	235	222
657	3rd Tuesday.....	2	1	1	—	—	4	2	3	151	144
658	3rd Monday.....	8	6	7	1	1	2	4	1	292	295
659	2nd Tuesday.....	5	5	5	8	1	1	3	1	214	223
660	2nd Wednesday.....	5	2	1	1	—	—	2	—	140	144
661	4th Friday.....	5	6	6	1	—	3	4	1	170	168
662	2nd Thursday.....	4	4	6	1	—	3	2	—	137	137
663	3rd Monday.....	8	5	7	4	—	2	4	1	207	212
664	2nd Friday.....	6	5	4	2	—	5	2	—	177	178
665	1st Tuesday.....	7	7	5	3	—	2	1	3	176	180
666	1st Monday.....	3	3	2	2	—	2	4	—	154	153
667	3rd Wednesday.....	5	5	7	—	1	1	—	—	176	181
668	1st Wednesday.....	5	2	3	—	—	2	1	2	133	133
669	2nd Thursday.....	3	4	3	1	1	3	1	3	129	127
670	1st Wednesday.....	16	16	13	5	1	2	5	11	256	260
671	4th Tuesday.....	2	3	4	1	—	5	—	7	148	139
672	2nd Wednesday.....	5	3	3	—	—	3	—	—	131	133
673	1st Tuesday.....	3	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	174	178
674	1st Tuesday.....	6	8	5	1	1	3	1	3	147	148
675	3rd Wednesday.....	7	9	11	2	—	3	1	1	188	192
676	1st Friday.....	9	5	6	3	—	5	2	1	175	179
677	2nd Monday.....	8	8	8	—	—	5	—	4	148	147
678	3rd Wednesday.....	3	3	2	—	—	—	3	1	136	135
679	3rd Tuesday.....	1	1	4	—	—	1	1	—	95	94
680	2nd Thursday.....	3	3	1	—	—	2	2	3	98	94
681	2nd Wednesday.....	3	4	2	2	1	3	1	2	154	154
682	2nd Thursday.....	4	3	4	3	—	2	—	—	133	138
683	1st Friday.....	7	6	10	2	—	4	1	—	141	145
684	1st Tuesday.....	5	6	3	6	—	—	4	—	238	245
685	2nd Friday.....	3	6	4	—	—	5	2	4	130	122
686	2nd Tuesday.....	5	1	2	2	—	4	3	—	133	133
687	2nd Wednesday.....	5	3	1	—	—	3	1	—	84	85
688	3rd Wednesday.....	6	5	4	6	—	—	—	2	96	106
689	2nd Thursday.....	9	7	6	3	—	2	1	—	144	153
690	3rd Wednesday.....	9	8	6	4	—	—	1	—	97	109
691	2nd Wednesday.....	4	5	3	—	—	1	1	—	104	106
692	3rd Thursday.....	8	5	8	5	—	2	3	1	124	131
693	2nd Wednesday.....	3	4	5	2	—	2	—	—	128	131
694	1st Wednesday.....	1	1	—	—	—	3	2	2	60	54
695	2nd Thursday.....	6	6	6	1	—	5	2	—	124	124
696	2nd Wednesday.....	4	4	2	1	—	—	—	1	94	98
697	Last Monday.....	6	3	4	3	—	6	1	3	123	122
698	2nd Wednesday.....	5	6	5	1	—	2	—	4	157	157
699	2nd Friday.....	10	6	7	6	—	1	3	—	120	132
700	2nd Tuesday.....	—	3	6	1	—	1	1	—	49	48
701	3rd Thursday.....	6	5	5	—	—	—	1	—	119	124
702	2nd Tuesday.....	5	3	5	1	—	2	—	—	90	94
703	3rd Monday.....	7	2	4	1	—	—	3	2	111	114

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704	Aurum	Timmins	H. V. Maxwell	L. T. Nicholson
705	aUniverse	Markham	J. E. Stephens	W. A. T. Ovens
706	aDavid T. Campbell	Whitby	R. B. Collins	H. M. Douglas
707	Eastern	Cornwall	John Vincent	G. Thompson
708	aOakridge	Byron	C. F. Cappa	W. E. Bawden
709	aLakehead	Thunder Bay	W. J. Campbell	W. E. Shaw
710	aUnity	Brampton	N. L. Wilkinson	Donald MacKenzie
711	aProgress	Toronto	R. G. Barber	H. W. Lyons
712	aTrafalgar	Oakville	E. S. Latta	F. H. Ednie
713	aBridgewood	Woodbridge	Kenneth Benson	J. M. Boak
714	aBattlefield	Stoney Creek	James Brownlie	S. J. Griffin
715	aSlington	Etobicoke	Wm. Soutar	M. McKenzie
716	aIonic	London	R. O. Porter	C. G. Smuck
717	aWillowdale	Richmond Hill	Raymond Furness	G. H. Loxton
718	aTwin Lakes	Orillia	G. W. Newcombe	S. L. Wellwood
719	aOtisippi	Sarnia	J. B. White	W. T. Towner
720	aConfederation	Scarborough	J. T. E. Wakeford	Thomas Taylor
721	Bytown	Ottawa	C. C. Lillico	D. G. Bee
722	Concord	Hespeler	Jack Sutton	W. S. McVittie

AT DECEMBER 31st, 1969

Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation of Officers on or near the Festival or
The names of the W.M. and Secretary are corrected up to July 31st, 1970.

No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend	Members 31 Dec. 1968	Members 31 Dec. 1969
704	1st Monday.....	8	7	1	2	—	2	1	4	84	87
705	3rd Tuesday.....	6	6	4	1	—	1	—	—	70	76
706	3rd Thursday.....	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	—	73	78
707	4th Tuesday.....	4	6	5	—	—	5	—	—	74	72
708	1st Thursday.....	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	42	44
709	2nd Wednesday.....	3	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	86	87
710	1st Thursday.....	6	5	4	5	—	2	1	—	73	80
711	3rd Thursday.....	3	5	2	—	—	2	1	—	65	65
712	4th Thursday.....	3	2	4	3	—	2	3	2	72	71
713	3rd Wednesday.....	3	4	4	—	—	2	—	—	72	73
714	3rd Monday.....	3	4	6	6	—	7	2	—	106	106
715	2nd Monday.....	7	6	8	8	—	2	—	1	93	105
716	3rd Wednesday.....	5	5	7	2	—	—	—	—	65	72
717	2nd Monday.....	2	3	4	6	—	—	—	—	46	54
718	3rd Friday.....	6	2	4	5	—	—	1	—	36	46
719	3rd Thursday.....	1	2	7	1	—	1	—	—	53	54
720	3rd Monday.....	6	7	6	2	—	2	—	—	54	60
721	3rd Thursday.....	—	—	—	40	—	—	—	—	—	40
722	1st Thursday.....	1	—	—	56	—	—	—	—	—	57
		2473	2291	2295	765	170	1245	2785	1122	126,593	124,737

P. O. ADDRESSES OF SECRETARIES

No.	Lodge	Location	Secretary and P.O. Address
2	Niagara	Niagara-on-the-Lake	A. G. Hall, Box 167.
3	Anc. St. John's	Kingston	T. J. Donnelly, P.O. Box 1.
5	Sussex	Brockville	H. F. Blanchard, 24 Jessie St.
6	Barton	Hamilton	
7	Union	Grimsby	A. B. Hummel, 10 Rosslyn Ave.
9	Union	Napanee	J. K. Gourlie, R.R. 4.
10	Norfolk	Simcoe	B. B. Smith, Box 515.
11	Molra	Belleville	H. S. Robbins, 32 Queen St.
14	True Britons'	Perth	Ernest Cross, 72 Beckwith St.
15	St. George's	St. Catharines	W. E. Thompson, 23 Junkin St.
16	St. Andrew's	Toronto	H. B. Burns, 7 Faircroft Blvd., Scarborough 712.
17	St. John's	Cobourg	Frank Gladden, 329 Ball St.
18	Prince Edward	Pictou	W. D. McArthur, Box 1243.
20	St. John's	London	R. C. Keeler, 17 Renwick Ave., (11).
21A	St. John's	Vankleek Hill	G. D. Folkard, Box 265.
22	King Solomon's	Toronto	D. M. Tozer, 173 Florence Ave., Willowdale 444.
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill	R. A. Jordan, 78 Rockport Cres.
24	St. Francis	Smiths Falls	G. P. Marshall, 25 McEwen Ave.
25	Ionic	Toronto	C. S. Fox-Revett, 4 Industrial St., (352).
26	Ontario	Port Hope	E. J. McKeever, 10 Julia St.
27	Strict Observance	Hamilton	R. G. Truscott, 127 Fairleigh Ave. S., (22).
28	Mount Zion	Kemptville	W. S. D. Hamilton, R.R. 5.
29	United	Brighton	G. R. Thomson, Box 242.
30	Composite	Whitby	C. E. Broughton, 900 Dundas St. E.
31	Jerusalem	Bowmanville	J. S. Emmerson, 103 Wellington St.
32	Amity	Dunnville	H. V. Bartlett, R.R. 1.
33	Maitland	Goderich	C. J. Worsell, 182 Victoria St. N.
34	Thistle	Amherstburg	Watson Hallock, R.R. 3.
35	St. John's	Cayuga	R. M. Murphy, Box 957, Caledonia.
37	King Hiram	Ingersoll	H. J. Upfold, 16 Holcroft St.
38	Trent	Trenton	H. F. Burke, 105 Byron St.
39	Mount Zion	Brooklin	J. F. Patterson, Box 88.
40	St. John's	Hamilton	C. E. Heal, 136 Brantdale Ave., (40).
41	St. George's	Kingsville	J. R. Graham, Box 366.
42	St. George's	London	J. P. Gorman, 387 Princess Ave., (14).
43	King Solomon's	Woodstock	T. F. Pellow, 97 North Park Cres.
44	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	H. R. Watson, 7 Mandeville Rd.
45	Brant	Brantford	K. H. Baker, 121 George St.
46	Wellington	Chatham	H. D. Paulucci, 47 Wilson Ave.
47	Great Western	Windsor	A. R. Bourne, Apt. 802, 395 University Ave. E., (14).
48	Madoc	Madoc	K. M. Livingstone, 34 St. Lawrence St. W.
50	Consecon	Consecon	E. V. Young, Carrying Place.
52	Dalhousie	Ottawa	A. R. D. McNeely, 585 Tweedsmuir Ave., (3).
54	Vaughan	Maple	M. J. Kinnee, 23 Idleswift Dr., Thornhill.
55	Merrickville	Merrickville	Edwin Pitcher, General Delivery.
56	Victoria	Sarnia	D. H. Gosnell, 602 Flamingo Dr.
57	Harmony	Binbrook	R. Hillgartner, Binbrook.
58	Doric	Ottawa	R. F. Tubman, 55 Glen Ave., (1).
61	Acacia	Hamilton	D. R. Shaw, 69 Herkimer St., (10).
62	St. Andrew's	Caledonia	G. G. Thompson, R.R. 1.
63	St. John's	Carleton Place	F. A. McTavish, Box 153.
64	Kilwinning	London	E. C. Smith, 105 Langarth St. E., (16).

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65	Rehoboam	Toronto	H. M. Giesbrecht, 60 Gilroy Dr., Scarborough 733.
66	Durham	Newcastle	J. J. Scott, Box 43.
68	St. John's	Ingersoll	W. H. Allen, 163 Wonham St. S.
69	Stirling	Stirling	E. F. Emerson, R.R. 2.
72	Alma	Galt	R. M. Hastings, 7a Ann St.
73	St. James	St. Marys	H. R. Alberts, Box 144.
74	St. James	South Augusta	Wm. Hamblen, 111-1st Ave., Brockville.
75	St. Johns	Toronto	C. A. Boddy, 9 Montgomery Rd., (590).
76	Oxford	Woodstock	A. L. Cooper, 54 Centre St.
77	Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	C. H. Heels, 76 Glenelg St. W.
78	King Hiram	Tillsonburg	A. A. Coyle, 258 Tillson Ave.
79	Simcoe	Bradford	Ben Steers, R.R. 2.
81	St. John's	Mount Brydges	L. M. Brown, R.R. 2.
82	St. John's	Paris	C. R. Burton, 9 Banfield St.
83	Beaver	Strathroy	P. J. Sims, c/o Box 6.
84	Clinton	Clinton	D. E. Symons, Box 416.
85	Rising Sun	Athens	L. M. Kerr, R.R. 2, Addison.
86	Wilson	Toronto	C. J. E. Lawer, 44 Edenbridge Dr., Islington 675.
87	Markham Union	Markham	L. S. Pilkington, Box 2.
88	St. George's	Owen Sound	E. C. Rosskopf, 996-2nd Ave. E.
90	Manito	Collingwood	N. Hodson, 452 Hurontario St.
91	Colborne	Colborne	K. Mills, Box 274.
92	Cataraqui	Kingston	E. C. Swayne, R.R. 1.
93	Northern Light	Kincardine	H. J. Norman, R.R. 5.
94	St. Mark's	Port Stanley	J. L. Brumpton, Box 101.
96	Corinthian	Barrie	W. T. Kirkpatrick, 11 Mountbatten Rd.
97	Sharon	Queensville	M. L. Newroth, Sharon.
98	True Blue	Bolton	H. Taylor, R.R. 1, Kleinburg.
99	Tuscan	Newmarket	C. E. Boyd, 181 Beechwood Cres.
100	Valley	Dundas	E. L. Ford, 60 Crosthwaite Ave. S., Hamilton 26.
101	Corinthian	Peterborough	W. R. Martin, 960 Monaghan Rd.
103	Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	J. R. Snure, 29 Princess St.
104	St. John's	Norwich	R. O. Fewster, Box 172.
105	St. Mark's	Niagara Falls	R. E. Vilneff, 6388 Doreen Dr.
106	Burford	Burford	Wm. Reed, Box 283.
107	St. Paul's	Lambeth	A. L. McConnell, 1170 Wellington Rd. S., London 52.
108	Blenheim	Princeton	H. D. Wight, Box 52.
109	Albion	Harrowsmith	G. M. Spafford, Sydenham.
110	Central	Prescott	A. P. Gaudin, P.O. Box 986.
113	Wilson	Waterford	J. A. Davis, Box 458.
114	Hope	Port Hope	W. H. Inch, R.R. 2.
115	Ivy	Beamsville	H. C. Clark, R.R. 3.
116	Cassia	Thedford	L. S. Mosure, Thedford.
118	Union	Schomberg	Wm. Hammett, Box 85.
119	Maple Leaf	Bath	Herbert Weese, Route 2.
120	Warren	Fingal	Douglas Orchard, Shelden.
121	Doric	Brantford	E. E. McIntyre, R.R. 1.
122	Renfrew	Renfrew	Harry Hinchley, Box 11.
123	Belleville	Belleville	R. M. Gunsolus, 55 Highland Ave.
125	Cornwall	Cornwall	G. E. McCutcheon, 515 Guy St.
126	Golden Rule	Campbellford	R. E. King, Box 815.
127	Franck	Frankford	P. Chase, Box 398.
128	Pembroke	Pembroke	M. H. Doering, 558 Mary St.
129	Rising Sun	Aurora	J. H. Knowles, 76 Catherine Ave.
131	St. Lawrence	Southampton	James Kennedy, Box 156.
133	Lebanon Forest	Exeter	K. H. Hodgins, Centralia.
135	St. Clair	Milton	Kenneth Watson, 147 Anne Blvd.
136	Richardson	Stouffville	Blair Mitchell, Box 898.
137	Pythagoras	Meaford	N. R. Morrison, Box 244.
139	Lebanon	Oshawa	G. H. A. Suddard, 25 Greta St.
140	Malahide	Aylmer	J. B. Wright, Box 298.

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141	Tudor	Mitchell	Charles Friend, Dublin.
142	Excelsior	Morrisburg	L. J. Presley, Box 594.
143	Friendly Brothers	Iroquois	C. Van Camp, Box 272.
144	Tecumseh	Stratford	E. C. Huggins, 129 Brunswick St.
145	J. B. Hall	Millbrook	J. S. McGill, Apt. 801, 212 Brock St., Peterborough.
146	Prince of Wales	Newburgh	J. E. Lewis, Camden East.
147	Mississippi	Almonte	S. H. Morton, Box 262.
148	Civil Service	Ottawa	E. D. Berry, 56 Glen Ave., (1).
149	Erie	Port Dover	B. M. Varey, Port Dover.
151	Grand River	Kitchener	H. W. Rothaermel, 65 Ellis Cres. S., Waterloo.
153	Burns'	Wyoming	L. W. Slack, Box 118.
154	Irving	Lucan	C. B. Culbert, Box 201.
155	Peterborough	Peterborough	A. J. Cummings, 1025 Braund Pl.
156	York	Toronto	W. S. Collins, 1078 Dupont St., (173).
157	Simpson	Newboro	W. L. Blackman, R.R. 1, Portland.
158	Alexandra	Oil Springs	John Randall, Shamrock St.
159	Goodwood	Richmond	W. C. Clark, 27 Palsen St., Ottawa 5.
161	Percy	Warkworth	E. W. Ewing, R.R. 5.
162	Forest	Wroxeter	J. H. Wylie, Wroxeter.
164	Star-in-the-East	Wellington	B. C. Tice, R.R. 1.
165	Burlington	Burlington	F. G. Wickens, R.R. 3, 653 Plains Rd. E.
166	Wentworth	Stoney Creek	W. A. McNeil, Apt. 211, 10 Village Green.
168	Merritt	Welland	E. A. Lee, 235 Thorold Rd. W.
169	Macnab	Port Colborne	C. M. McNeil, 166 Hampton Ave.
170	Britannia	Seaforth	G. A. Wright, Box 465
171	Prince of Wales	Iona Station	W. G. Agar, R.R. 4.
172	Ayr	Ayr	B. L. Myers, Northumberland St.
174	Walsingham	Port Rowan	D. G. Johnson, Box 9, St. Williams.
177	The Builders	Ottawa	Harry Georganas, 1188 Gladstone Ave., Apt. 4, (3).
178	Plattsville	Plattsville	J. L. Gofton, General Del.
180	Speed	Guelph	Jack Cherry, 506 College Ave. W.
181	Oriental	Port Burwell	Gerald Clarke, Box 91.
184	Old Light	Lucknow	T. J. Salkeld, Lucknow.
185	Enniskillen	York	J. A. Senn, Box 118, Mount Hope.
186	Plantagenet	Riceville	B. Fawcett, R.R. 1, Fournier.
190	Belmont	Belmont	D. W. Schuyler, Box 34.
192	Orillia	Orillia	J. W. Davies, 96 Borland East.
193	Scotland	Scotland	L. Keith Poss, Scotland.
194	Petrolia	Petrolia	Roy Cox, Box 302.
195	Tuscan	London	W. L. Dunn, 782 Springbank Dr., (62).
196	Madawaska	Arnprior	H. E. Hobbs, Box 1646.
197	Saugeen	Walkerton	Archie Gowanlock, Box 621.
200	St. Alban's	Mount Forest	H. J. Corley, Box 421.
201	Leeds	Gananoque	J. F. Symons, Box 383.
203	Irvine	Elora	J. C. Drimmie, Box 388.
205	New Dominion	New Hamburg	Ross Merner, Box 145.
207	Lancaster	Lancaster	W. R. Steele, P.O. Box 26, South Lancaster.
209	Evergreen	Lanark	J. E. Paul, P.O. Box 1.
209a	St. John's	London	F. B. Robinson, 21 Franklin Ave., (16).
215	Lake	Ameliasburg	G. G. Redner, R.R. 1.
216	Harris	Orangeville	J. C. Nottingham, 202 Broadway.
217	Frederick	Delhi	G. W. Franklin, 136 Harris Ave.
218	Stevenson	Toronto	J. H. Cook, 216 Prince Edward Dr., (560).
219	Credit	Georgetown	J. F. Evans, 5 Valleyview Rd.
220	Zeredatha	Uxbridge	Harold Sibbert, Box 688.
221	Mountain	Thorold	W. S. Coolin, 18 Cameron Dr., St. Catharines.

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222	Marmora	Marmora	R. E. Neal, Marmora.
223	Norwood	Norwood	C. MacMillan, R.R. 1, Warsaw.
224	Huron	Hensall	C. D. Hay, Hensall.
225	Bernard	Listowel	B. Hastings, Actg., Box 1001.
228	Prince Arthur	Odessa	K. J. Brown, P.O. Box 31, Westbrook.
229	Ionic	Brampton	R. Grafton, R.R. 6, Mississauga.
230	Kerr	Barrie	A. Coates, 78 Nelson St.
231	Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	O. E. Andrew, Apt. 3, 512 Athlone Ave., (3).
232	Cameron	Dutton	C. J. Beill, P.O. Box 136.
233	Doric	Parkhill	C. J. Fox, R.R. 5.
234	Beaver	Thornbury	W. R. Mackey, R.R. 1.
235	Aldworth	Paisley	L. B. Evans, Paisley.
236	Manitoba	Cookstown	D. A. McMaster, 76 Penetang St., Barrie.
237	Vienna	Vienna	Jack Petrie, Box 79.
238	Havelock	Watford	G. C. Searson, Box 134.
239	Tweed	Tweed	C. E. Geen, Roslin.
242	Macoy	Mallorytown	A. M. Purvis, R.R. 3, Box 374.
243	St. George	St. George	G. A. Steedman, R.R. 1, Paris.
245	Tecumseh	Thamesville	H. A. Cameron, R.R. 4.
247	Ashlar	Toronto	W. H. Campbell, 99 Highbourne Rd., (197).
249	Caledonian	Midland	J. J. Robins, 316 Second St.
250	Thistle	Embro	Symons Muir, Embro.
253	Minden	Kingston	G. H. Veale, Apt. 1, 211 Alfred St.
254	Clifton	Niagara Falls	Ronald Mace, 1601 Byng Ave.
255	Sydenham	Dresden	H. L. Martin, R.R. 6.
256	Farran-Ault	Ingleside	G. F. Dafoe, R.R. 2.
257	Galt	Galt	G. J. Johnson, 55 Lansdowne Rd. S.
258	Guelph	Guelph	Jacob Pos, 10 Mayfield Ave.
259	Springfield	Springfield	F. E. Harris, Brownsville.
260	Washington	Petrolia	R. W. Skene, Box 464.
261	Oak Branch	Innerkip	S. J. Hislop, Box 128.
262	Harriston	Harriston	F. F. Homuth, Arthur St. E.
263	Forest	Forest	G. H. Holmes, Box 461.
264	Chaudiere	Ottawa	Edwin Birnie, 150 Lyman St., (3).
265	Patterson	Thornhill	M. H. Parker, 494 Ellerslie Ave., Willowdale 450.
266	Northern Light	Stayner	J. R. Flynn, Box 484.
267	Parthenon	Chatham	J. E. Brown, 56 Faircourt.
268	Verulam	Bobcaygeon	John Kennedy, Box 151.
269	Brougham Union	Claremont	Lloyd Pugh, 55½ Cameron St., Pickering.
270	Cedar	Oshawa	C. E. Houck, 973 Masson St.
271	Wellington	Erin	Stewart Scott, Belfountain.
272	Seymour	Ancaster	T. E. Burton, 156 Taylor Rd.
274	Kent	Blenheim	P. Shillington, Box 100.
276	Teeswater	Teeswater	W. A. McKenzie, Box 204.
277	Seymour	St. Catharines	B. E. Schaab, 31 Tecumseh St.
279	New Hope	Hespeler	D. E. Meadows, 42 Ravine, Galt.
282	Lorne	Glencoe	K. Reycraft, P.O. Box 296.
283	Eureka	Belleville	J. L. Diamond, Apt. 508-255 George St.
284	St. John's	Brussels	A. E. Martin, Turnberry St.
285	Seven Star	Alliston	W. M. Lee, Box 652.
286	Wingham	Wingham	G. Thomas, P.O. Box 891.
287	Shuniah	Thunder Bay	G. B. Baxter, P.O. Box 84, Station P.
289	Doric	Lobo	Fred Waugh, Hyde Park.
290	Leamington	Leamington	C. E. Willan, 6 Brown St.
291	Dufferin	West Flamboro	H. C. Lord, 3 Edith Ave., Hamilton 56.
292	Robertson	King City	C. Henshaw, R.R. 3.
294	Moore	Courtright	A. S. McClemens, R.R. 1, Mooretown.
295	Conestogo	Drayton	Lloyd McNeil, Box 226.

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296	Temple	St. Catharines	J. Thorne, 86 Welland Ave.
297	Preston	Preston	D. R. Anderson, 732 Elizabeth St.
299	Victoria	Centreville	Allan Burgess, Centreville.
300	Mount Olivet	Thorndale	J. A. Black, 267 King St.
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	K. S. Woodward, 45 Redan St.
303	Blyth	Blyth	H. Sillib, Box 164.
304	Minerva	Stroud	C. H. Robertson, 158 Yonge St., Barrie.
305	Humber	Weston	C. Sedore, 3 Chesham Drive, Downsview 464.
306	Durham	Durham	C. McGirr, Box 27.
307	Arkona	Arkona	F. E. Muma, R.R. 1.
309	Morning Star	Carlow	T. W. Eedy, Dunganon.
311	Blackwood	Woodbridge	G. L. McGillivray, R.R. 3.
312	Pnyx	Wallaceburg	H. B. Sands, 635 James St.
313	Clementi	Lakefield	F. A. Payne, Box 338.
314	Blair	Palmerston	W. T. Brown, Box 756.
315	Clifford	Clifford	J. S. Ferguson, R.R. 2.
316	Doric	Toronto	A. J. Collins, 67 Macdonald Ave., Weston 492.
318	Wilmot	Baden	R. S. Sparrow, Box 157.
319	Hiram	Hagersville	O. Sayer, 13 Main St. S.
320	Chesterville	Chesterville	W. Robinson, R.R. 1.
321	Walker	Acton	H. L. Ritchie, Box 328.
322	North Star	Owen Sound	T. R. Locke, P.O. Box 342.
323	Alvinston	Alvinston	S. J. Mitchell, R.R. 6.
324	Temple	Hamilton	A. H. Mellanby, 98 South Bend Rd. E., (50).
325	Orono	Orono	H. E. Duvall, P.O. Box 120.
326	Zetland	Toronto	H. C. Jackson, 334 Cleveland St., (298).
327	Hammond	Wardsville	W. J. Taylor, Box 29.
328	Ionic	Napier	Evan Denning, R.R. 3, Strathroy.
329	King Solomon	Jarvis	W. L. Keen, Box 114.
330	Corinthian	London	R. W. Young, Box 277, Thames- ford.
331	Fordwich	Fordwich	M. Allan, Fordwich.
332	Stratford	Stratford	W. G. Van Slyck, 70 Mornington St.
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	J. A. Nichol, R.R. 5.
334	Prince Arthur	Arthur	L. Flewelling, R.R. 1.
336	Highgate	Highgate	A. Dickson, R.R. 2, Muirkirk.
337	Myrtle	Port Robinson	L. C. Eller, Box 115.
338	Dufferin	Wellandport	N. Jones, R.R. 1, Dunnville.
339	Orient	Toronto	A. M. Watt, 30 Taylor Dr., (360).
341	Bruce	Tiverton	S. McPherson, R.R. 1.
343	Georgina	Toronto	P. W. Davies, 229 Symington Ave., (169).
344	Merrill	Dorchester	P. V. J. Hale, Box 39.
345	Nilestown	Nilestown	F. S. Whitehall, R.R. 8, London.
346	Occident	Toronto	G. G. Bonney, Apt. 602, 2293 Eg- lington Ave. E., Scarborough 703.
347	Mercer	Fergus	W. E. Stafford, P.O. Box 244.
348	Georgian	Midland	C. S. Wice, Box 628, Penetang.
352	Granite	Parry Sound	E. Robinson, Box 201.
354	Brock	Cannington	W. J. Beard, P.O. Box 38.
356	River Park	Streetsville	K. E. O'Connor, Box 459.
357	Waterdown	Milgrove	Hugh Guild, R.R. 2, Hamilton.
358	Delaware Valley	Delaware	M. Kilbourne, R.R. 5, Mount Brydges.
359	Vittoria	Vittoria	O. Thompson, R.R. 3, Simcoe.
360	Muskoka	Bracebridge	T. H. W. Salmon, Box 1654.
361	Waverley	Guelph	R. G. Stephens, City Hall Annex.
362	Maple Leaf	Tara	N. D. Sinclair, Box 89.
364	Dufferin	Melbourne	J. C. McLean, 439 Carrie St., Strathroy.

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367	St. George	Toronto	W. F. Damp, 63 Southvale Dr., (352).
368	Salem	Brockville	S. T. Orr, 34 Elm Ave.
369	Mimico	Etobicoke	J. Kendall, 120 Lloyd Manor Rd., Islington 676.
370	Harmony	Delta	R. Morris, Delta.
371	Prince of Wales	Ottawa	R. H. Sloan, 2059 Woodcrest Rd., (8).
372	Palmer	Fort Erie	R. E. Gardiner, Box 1123—Station B.
373	Cope-Stone	Welland	R. J. Thomas, 14 Westmount Cres.
374	Keene	Keene	D. R. Comrie, R.R. 3.
375	Lorne	Omeme	T. C. Best, Omeme.
376	Unity	Huntsville	M. Hayward, Box 1463.
377	Lorne	Shelburne	J. A. Mawdsley, 142 Third Ave.
378	King Solomon's	London	J. F. Higgins, 526 Upper Queen St., (16).
379	Middlesex	Bryanston	S. R. Lasenby, 1189 Bucke St., London 25.
380	Union	London	H. L. Peers, 476 Ashland Ave., (31).
382	Doric	Hamilton	W. J. Macintosh, 72 Kenilworth Ave. S., (24).
383	Henderson	Winchester	W. A. Sherwood, Winchester.
384	Alpha	Toronto	J. Gibson, 132 Fairlawn Ave., (320).
385	Spry	Beeton	A. C. Bulman, Box 25.
386	McColl	West Lorne	F. H. Morrish, R.R. 2.
387	Lansdowne	Lansdowne	G. Hamilton, R.R. 2, Gananoque.
388	Henderson	Ilderton	R. G. Evans, R.R. 2.
389	Crystal Fountain	North Augusta	W. J. Jones, R.R. 2, Addison.
390	Florence	Florence	L. Elliott, Box 82.
391	Howard	Ridgetown	J. Raine, Box 263.
392	Huron	Camlachie	M. Burnley, R.R. 2.
393	Forest	Chesley	C. F. Rae, Box 415.
394	King Solomon	Thamesford	T. R. Nancekivell, 118 Delatre St.
395	Parvaim	Comber	Harry Lee, Box 130.
396	Cedar	Warton	L. L. Inglis, Box 314.
397	Leopold	Brigden	R. S. McKellar, R.R. 1, Moore-town.
398	Victoria	Kirkfield	G. V. Grant, 2 Nelson St., Kirkfield.
399	Moffat	Harrietsville	L. G. Corless, R.R. 1, Springfield.
400	Oakville	Oakville	O. A. Ling, 246 Douglas Ave.
401	Craig	Deseronto	E. Gustafson, Box 86.
402	Central	Essex	T. E. Weaver, Box 955.
403	Windsor	Windsor	A. Shaw, Apt. 202, 227 Strabane Ave., (15).
404	Lorne	Tamworth	George Kirk, Box 5, Harrowsmith.
405	Mattawa	Mattawa	H. Maxwell, Box 29, R.R. 2.
406	Spry	Fenelon Falls	A. T. Smitheram, Box 203.
408	Murray	Beaverton	G. A. Smith, Box 92.
409	Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	R. L. Duncan, Box 426.
410	Zeta	Toronto	E. F. Watson, 392 Rimilton Ave., (520).
411	Rodney	Rodney	V. DeGraw, Box 1.
412	Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	L. G. Shier, 581 Placid Ave.
413	Naphtali	Tilbury	A. F. Shaw, R.R. 1, Blenheim.
414	Pequonga	Kenora	D. S. McCunn, 400 Third St. S.
415	Fort William	Thunder Bay	G. Barclay, Box 283, Station F.
416	Lyn	Lyn	Robert Stick, R.R. 2.
417	Keewatin	Keewatin	A. W. Welch, Box 271.
418	Maxville	Maxville	J. H. Crawford, P.O. Box 82.
419	Liberty	Sarnia	J. C. Craig, 779 Oakdale Ave.
420	Nipissing	North Bay	R. H. McNutt, Box 55.
421	Scott	Grand Valley	Wilfred West, P.O. Box 14.
422	Star of the East	Bothwell	C. Forrest, Box 123.
423	Strong	Sundridge	G. Tough, Sundridge.
424	Doric	Pickering	H. S. Anderson, Box 177.

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427	Nickel	Sudbury	A. A. Roseborough, 65 St. Brendan St.
428	Fidelity	Port Perry	R. H. Cornish, Box 144.
429	Port Elgin	Port Elgin	H. Burke, Box 284.
430	Acacia	Toronto	F. C. Pickering, 42 Bardwell Cres., Scarborough 731.
431	Moravian	Cargill	D. Garland, R.R. 2.
432	Hanover	Hanover	C. H. Metcalfe, P.O. Box 642, Hanover.
433	Bonnechere	Eganville	G. H. Barrington, Box 630.
434	Algonquin	Emsdale	R. Soper, Sprucedale.
435	Havelock	Havelock	G. A. Smith, 4 Victoria St.
436	Burns	Hepworth	W. J. Spencer, R.R. 2, Shallow Lake.
437	Tuscan	Sarnia	F. J. Sanders, 316 Ross Ave.
438	Harmony	Thornhill	D. S. Cody, 32 Kimbark Blvd., Toronto 305.
439	Alexandria	Alexandria	H. A. Stimson, P.O. Box 124.
440	Arcadia	Minden	W. W. Noice, R.R. 1.
441	Westport	Westport	Charles Woods, R.R. 2.
442	Dymont	Thessalon	F. W. Elliott, Box 160.
443	Powassan	Powassan	W. Pilgrim, R. R. 3
444	Nitetic	Creemore	H. S. Newell, Creemore.
445	Lake of the Woods	Kenora	W. F. Piercy, 623 - 1st St. S.
446	Granite	Fort Frances	S. G. Ward, P. O. Box 37.
447	Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	W. Cockburn, P.O. Box 448.
448	Xenophon	Wheatley	M. Whaley, R.R. 3.
449	Dundalk	Dundalk	E. Ludlow, Dundalk.
450	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury	W. T. R. Hay, 504 Thorne St.
451	Somerville	Kinmount	B. Austin, Kinmount.
452	Avonmore	Avonmore	L. R. Hanley, P.O. Box 99.
453	Royal	Thunder Bay	A. E. Knox, 1425 Hamilton Ave., (F.)
454	Corona	Burks Falls	R. E. King, Box 65, Magnetawan.
455	Doric	Little Current	L. H. Peck, Little Current.
456	Elma	Monkton	C. Harrison, R.R. 2, Brussels.
457	Century	Merlin	R. J. Reynolds, Box 45.
458	Wales	Long Sault	E. V. Rice, P.O. Box 130, Ingle-side.
459	Cobden	Cobden	S. Black, R.R. 1, Foresters Falls.
460	Rideau	Seeleys Bay	H. H. Eaton, Box 21.
461	Ionic	Rainy River	D. H. Budreau, Box 184.
462	Temiskaming	New Liskeard	G. W. Lawrence, Box 104.
463	North Entrance	Haliburton	W. Webb, Haliburton.
464	King Edward	Sunderland	F. H. McInnis, Box 125.
465	Carleton	Carp	K. D. McGee, R.R. 3.
466	Coronation	Elmvale	Ewart Thurlow, R.R. 1.
467	Tottenham	Tottenham	L. Abernethy, Box 67.
468	Peel	Caledon East	J. S. Veals, Box 111.
469	Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	D. Willock, 183 Woodward Ave.
470	Victoria	Victoria Harbour	J. Tumber, Victoria Harbour.
471	King Edward VII	Chippawa	E. G. McKenzie, 736 Water St.
472	Gore Bay	Gore Bay	W. L. Graham, Kagawong.
473	Beaches	Scarborough	T. V. Horner, 3311 Jolliffe Ave., Malton.
474	Victoria	Toronto	C. V. Fleury, R.R. 1, Rexdale.
475	Dundurn	Hamilton	J. J. McNichol, Box 211, (20).
476	Corinthian	North Gower	D. K. McLeod, Rideau Valley Dr., Kars.
477	Harding	Woodville	Hugh Imrie, R.R. 1.
478	Milverton	Milverton	M. P. Schaub, 4 Tower Heights Dr.
479	Russell	Russell	R. W. Gamble, Russell.
480	Williamsburg	Williamsburg	G. Garlough, Williamsburg.
481	Corinthian	Toronto	G. E. Hough, 34 Fairside Ave., (360).

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483	Granton	Granton	A. E. Watson, R.R. 1, St. Marys.
484	Golden Star	Dryden	D. R. Raine, Box 449.
485	Haileybury	Haileybury	W. Cavanagh, Box 145.
486	Silver	Cobalt	M. E. Sadler, Box 334.
487	Penewobikong	Blind River	R. Wildman, Box 561.
488	King Edward	Harrow	G. L. Graham, 256 Munger Ave.
489	Osiris	Smiths Falls	F. Fairfield, 6 William St. W.
490	Hiram	Markdale	C. W. Tebbutt, R.R. 1.
491	Cardinal	Cardinal	E. D. McQuade, Box 363.
492	Karnak	Coldwater	M. E. Yon, Box 166.
494	Riverdale	Toronto	H. Claridge, 1327 Queen St. E., (255).
495	Electric	Hamilton	D. M. Ritchie, 650 Mountain Brow Blvd., (56).
496	University	Toronto	G. H. Sinclair, 142 Castlewood Rd., (305).
497	St. Andrew's	Arden	Art Cox, Mountain Grove.
498	King George V	Coboconk	E. B. White, R.R. 1.
499	Port Arthur	Thunder Bay	W. F. Poole, R.R. 2, Arthur St., (F).
500	Rose	Windsor	J. D. W. McCracken, 2091 West Grand Blvd., (21).
501	Connaught	Mimico	E. M. Dolan, 292 Prince Edward Dr. S., Toronto 560.
502	Coronation	Smithville	J. A. McCutchen, 2843 Cooper Dr., Niagara Falls.
503	Inwood	Inwood	B. A. Russell, Box 6.
504	Otter	Lombardy	D. E. Duff, R.R. 1.
505	Lynden	Lynden	Kenneth Stutt, Greensville.
506	Porcupine	South Porcupine	A. Nissen, R.R. 1, Timmins.
507	Elk Lake	Elk Lake	R. J. Howard, Gowganda.
508	Ozias	Brantford	J. M. Buchanan, 39 Lorne Cres.
509	Twin City	Kitchener	H. H. Raddatz, 201 Lancaster St. E.
510	Parkdale	Etobicoke	Bruce Craine, 52 Lillibet Ave., Toronto 570.
511	Connaught	Thunder Bay	A. A. Gunnell, 256 E. Amelia St., (F).
512	Malone	Sutton West	J. H. Day, Box 190.
513	Corinthian	Hamilton	A. G. Elford, 40 Linwood Ave., (12).
514	St. Alban's	Toronto	G. R. Flint, 458 Fairlawn Ave., (382).
515	Reba	Brantford	T. E. Greenaway, 15 First Ave.
516	Enterprise	Beachburg	E. Stevenson, P.O. Box 75.
517	Hazeldean	Hazeldean	W. G. Oliver, Box 106, Stittsville.
518	Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout	S. E. Oslund, Box 938.
519	Onondaga	Onondaga	Ross Mannen, 227 Chatham St., Brantford.
520	Coronati	Toronto	R. J. Woods, 28 Shaunavon Heights, Don Mills 400.
521	Ontario	Windsor	R. V. Wakeley, 947 Buckingham Dr., (16).
522	Mount Sinai	Toronto	Leo Morse, 40 Touraine Ave., Downsview 474.
523	Royal Arthur	Peterborough	J. C. Freeman, 302 Elias Ave.
524	Mississauga	Port Credit	A. E. Gerhart, 1250 Greenoaks Dr., Clarkson.
525	Temple	Toronto	D. G. Airhart, 19 Cromer Place, Weston 627.
526	Ionic	Ottawa	C. C. Cotie, P.O. Box 3086, Station C, (3).
527	Espanola	Espanola	A. C. Mackenzie, Box 221.
528	Golden Beaver	Timmins	W. A. McGregor, 53 Wende Ave.
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534	Englehart	Englehart	E. A. Smith, P.O. Box 85.
535	Phoenix	Fonthill	E. L. Franks, P.O. Box 191.
536	Algonquin	Copper Cliff	G. A. Heale, Box 245, Lively.
537	Ulster	Toronto	C. M. Platten, Apt. 603, 8 Mile-post Place, (354).
538	Earl Kitchener	Port McNicoll	Verne Rumney, R.R. 1, Victoria Harbour.
539	Waterloo	Waterloo	W. R. Smith, 11 Marshall St.
540	Abitibi	Iroquois Falls	H. T. Beaton, Sr., P.O. Box 598.
541	Tuscan	Toronto	N. C. Gourlie, 27 Khartoum Ave., Scarborough 702.
542	Metropolitan	Toronto	W. R. Daniels, 14 Purley Cres., Scarborough 712.
543	Imperial	Toronto	R. A. Gibson, 18 Crestland Ave., (360).
544	Lincoln	Abingdon	J. H. Clark, R.R. 1, Smithville.
545	J. R. Robertson	Toronto	L. E. Love, 126 Hadrian Dr., Rexdale 600.
546	Talbot	St. Thomas	L. R. Hoag, 44 Elgin St.
547	Victory	Toronto	R. Lough, 419 Burnhamthorpe Rd., Islington 677.
548	General Mercer	Toronto	A. S. McClement, 717a Annette St., (160).
549	Ionic	Hamilton	J. F. Jennings, 193 East 14th St., (50).
550	Buchanan	Hamilton	J. Hobson, 937 Falcon Blvd., Burlington.
551	Tuscan	Hamilton	W. B. Matthews, Apt. 106, 1200 Fennell Ave. E., (56).
552	Queen City	Toronto	B. O'Neill, 7 Ingham Ave., (279).
553	Oakwood	Toronto	A. M. Lawson, 22 Munro Blvd., Willowdale 430.
554	Border Cities	Windsor	G. M. Wilson, 2541 Gail Rd., (20).
555	Wardrope	Hamilton	M. E. Smith, 250 Main St. W., (12).
556	Nation	Spencerville	H. G. Reddick, Box 111.
557	Finch	Finch	D. K. MacLean, Box 59.
558	S. A. Luke	Ottawa	Z. M. Niblock, R.R. 1, Metcalfe.
559	Palestine	Toronto	H. Ginsberg, Apt. 3, 451 Wilson Ave., Downsview 474.
560	St. Andrew's	Ottawa	L. J. C. Rule, 15 Argue Drive, (5).
561	Acacia	Ottawa	C. W. Carson, 530 Brierwood Ave., (13).
562	Hamilton	Hamilton	F. H. Fletcher, 113 Leland St., (15).
563	Victory	Chatham	Alfred Mills, 139 Adelaide St. S.
564	Ashlar	Ottawa	S. G. Davis, 1288 Parkhill Circle, (8).
565	Kilwinning	Toronto	G. E. Langley, 15 Koos Rd., Etobicoke 652.
566	King Hiram	Toronto	J. Kemp, 23 Kinghorn Ave., (330).
567	St. Aidan's	Scarborough	H. J. Jeffery, 601 Broadway Ave., Toronto 350.
568	Hullett	Londesboro	A. Shobbrook, Box 294.
569	Doric	Lakeside	Donald Seaton, Lakeside.
570	Dufferin	Toronto	D. B. McNaught, 879 Scarborough Golf Club Rd., Scarborough 721.
571	Antiquity	Toronto	N. Anderson, 44 Hallow Cres., Rexdale 601.
572	Mizpah	Toronto	T. J. A. Gamey, 44 Westminster Ave., (154).

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574	Craig	Ailsa Craig	D. W. McLeod, Box 39.
575	Fidelity	Toronto	W. A. Bevis, 37 Risdon Court, Etobicoke 650.
576	Mimosa	Toronto	W. G. McCulloch, 2 Filbert Gate, Don Mills 400.
577	St. Clair	Thornhill	F. N. Fletcher, 218 Finch Ave. E., Willowdale 441.
578	Queen's	Kingston	J. A. MacLeod, 215 Stuart St.
579	Harmony	Windsor	J. W. Carr, 2879 Riviera Dr., (21).
580	Acacia	London	H. C. Steele, 989 Glenbanner Rd., (52).
581	Harcourt	Toronto	A. C. Batten, 181 Richmond St. W., (133).
582	Sunnyside	Toronto	J. Crawford, 233 Lynedock Cres., Don Mills 401.
583	Transportation	Toronto	F. W. Charles, 34 Randolph Rd., (352).
584	Kaministiquia	Thunder Bay	H. M. Barth, 352 Kingsway, (F).
585	Royal Edward	Kingston	E. Martin, 15 Park St.
586	Remembrance	Thornhill	E. J. Swanton, 46 Rivercourt Blvd., Toronto 357.
587	Patricia	Thornhill	R. J. Waddell, 3 Amulet St., Agincourt 755.
588	National	Capreol	H. Jordan, Box 314.
589	Grey	Toronto	J. F. Petherick, 190 Rumsey Rd., (352).
590	Defenders	Ottawa	H. R. Haywood, 2429 Clementine Blvd., (8).
591	North Gate	Toronto	R. F. Lightfoot, Apt. 706, 505 Cummer Ave., Willowdale 429.
592	Fairbank	Toronto	G. Paul, 49 Mason Blvd., (380).
593	St. Andrew's	Hamilton	R. Strachan, 90 Tom St., (13).
594	Hillcrest	Hamilton	W. T. Bacon, 11 McMaster Ave., Dundas.
595	Rideau	Ottawa	W. G. Dalzell, Apt. 301, 1833 Riverside Dr., (8).
596	Martintown	Martintown	G. MacGregor, R.R. 1.
597	Temple	London	W. J. M. Fuller, R.R. 5.
598	Dominion	Windsor	J. W. Flavell, 390 Hyde St., (14).
599	Mount Dennis	Weston	A. Conti, 69 Denison Rd. W., (492).
600	Maple Leaf	Etobicoke	H. Noble, 560 The West Mall, (650).
601	Saint Paul	Sarnia	
602	Hugh Murray	Hamilton	D. C. Matthews, 315 East Ave. N., (21).
603	Campbell	Campbellville	G. R. Carbert, Box 69.
604	Palace	Windsor	H. Taylor, 977 Bridge Ave., (11).
605	Melita	Thornhill	E. Lister, 7 Manorwood Rd., Scar- borough 732.
606	Unity	Toronto	H. Browning, 565 St. Clarens Ave., (172).
607	Golden Fleece	Toronto	H. R. Huxley, 3 Moorecroft Cres., Scarborough 703.
608	Gothic	Lindsay	J. A. Calvert, 110 Short Ave.
609	Tavistock	Tavistock	H. Fullick, Hickson.
610	Ashlar	London	H. A. Unwin, R.R. 1.
611	Huron-Bruce	Toronto	C. S. Farmer, 151 Roehampton Ave., (315).
612	Birch Cliff	Scarborough	Allen Meyer, 64 Kelsonia Ave., (713).
613	Fort Erie	Fort Erie	C. Hardy, 312 Brock St.
614	Adanac	St. Catharines	A. Thomson, 123 Jacobson Ave.
615	Dominion	Ridgeway	G. A. Lewis, Box 193, Crystal Beach.
616	Perfection	St. Catharines	M. J. Overend, 38 Maplewood Dr.
617	North Bay	North Bay	C. Dennis, 790 Durrill St.
618	Thunder Bay	Thunder Bay	R. W. Parker 100 Penfold St., (P).

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621	Frontenac	Sharbot Lake	Roscoe Garrett, R.R. 1, Maberly.
622	Lorne	Chapleau	K. Knight, Box 142.
623	Doric	Kirkland Lake	F. Washington, 6 Comfort St.
624	Dereham	Mount Elgin	W. J. M. Hart, 3 Woodland Cres., Tillsonburg.
625	Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie	D. N. McCormack, 1063 Wellington St. E.
626	Stamford	Niagara Falls	S. C. R. Perkins, 353 Ellis St.
627	Pelee	Pelee Island	H. V. D. Beard, Pelee Island.
628	Glenrose	Elmira	C. E. Blow, Box 490.
629	Grenville	Toronto	H. J. Howard, 48 Iona Ave., (269).
630	Prince of Wales	Toronto	T. E. Ivans, 37 Evans Ave., (9).
631	Manitou	Emo	P. Ringham, R.R. 2, Devlin.
632	Long Branch	Mimico	H. W. Gibbons, 50 Lake Promenade, Toronto 510.
633	Hastings	Hastings	H. J. McColl, Westwood.
634	Delta	Toronto	H. M. Gordon, 311 Brooke Ave., (380).
635	Wellington	Toronto	L. A. Callingham, 118 Maxome Ave., Willowdale 442.
636	Hornepayne	Hornepayne	B. E. Doyle, P.O. Box 105.
637	Caledonia	Toronto	L. Chamberlain, 171 Betty Ann Dr., Willowdale 444.
638	Bedford	Toronto	H. S. Robinson, Apt. 407, 56 Ranleigh Ave., (319).
639	Beach	Hamilton Beach	E. Binkley, 188 Aberfoyle Ave., Hamilton 26.
640	Anthony Sayer	Mimico	E. A. Skinner, 66 West Deane Park Dr., Islington 676.
641	Garden	Windsor	J. G. Kirkwood, 1140 Kennedy Dr. W., (22).
642	St. Andrew's	Windsor	C. W. Flett, 442 Askin Blvd., (11).
643	Cathedral	Toronto	G. A. Bick, 94 Burbank Dr., Willowdale 432.
644	Simcoe	Toronto	M. McIver, Apt. 217-110 Broadway Ave., (315).
645	Lake Shore	Mimico	H. E. Newton, 42 Lake Crescent, Toronto 500.
646	Rowland	Mount Albert	W. Shillinglaw, R.R. 3.
647	Todmorden	Toronto	R. Moss, 4 Stanhope Ave., (355).
648	Spruce Falls	Kapuskasing	W. V. Zacharuk, 7 Elm St.
649	Temple	Oshawa	D. F. Simpson, 659 Perry Cres.
650	Fidelity	Toledo	G. S. Moran, R.R. 1.
651	Dentonia	Toronto	W. Tennent, Apt. 401, 10 Ionview Rd., Scarborough 703.
652	Memorial	Toronto	L. F. Buttler, 44 Langside Ave., Weston 491.
653	Scarboro	Scarborough	N. R. Davis, 118 Applefield Dr., (732).
654	Ancient Landmarks	Hamilton	L. A. Staples, 51 Belvidere Ave., (50).
655	Kingsway	Etobicoke	F. Knott, 1355 Stavebank Rd., Port Credit.
656	Kenogamisis	Geraldton	L. R. Sinclair, Box 137.
657	Corinthian	Kirkland Lake	H. A. Gauld, P.O. Box 722.
658	Sudbury	Sudbury	H. McMaster, 794 Howey Dr.
659	Equity	Orillia	C. Marquis, 165 Victoria Cres.
660	Chukuni	Red Lake	D. Wilkes, P.O. Box 475.
661	St. Andrew's	St. Catharines	D. M. Donnelly, 13 Tecumseh St.
662	Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay	E. S. Brown, Box 195.
663	Brant	Burlington	W. W. Wright, 3259 Robert St.
664	Sunnylea	Etobicoke	G. E. Tapp, 46 Glenaden Ave. E., Toronto 560.

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666	Temple	Belleville	E. G. Price, R.R. 1, Carrying Place.
667	Composite	Hamilton	W. T. Bacon, 11 McMaster Ave., Dundas.
668	Atikokan	Atikokan	D. R. Buie, Box 686.
669	Corinthian	Cornwall	S. L. McLaren, 327 Second St. E.
670	West Hill	Scarborough	A. J. Grigsby, Box 3, West Hill.
671	Westmount	Hamilton	A. G. Adams, 47 Grenadier Dr., (56).
672	Superior	Red Rock	Wm. Moore, Red Rock.
673	Kempfenfeldt	Barrie	D. H. Pudden, 217 St. Vincent St.
674	South Gate	Port Credit	L. C. Smith, 2491 Shepard Ave., Mississauga.
675	W. J. Dunlop	Peterborough	J. A. Hill, 57 Kingan St.
676	Kroy	Thornhill	G. A. Vallary, 109 Felbrigg Ave., Toronto 380.
677	Coronation	Weston	L. H. Sommerville, 9 Portage Ave., (491.)
678	Mercer Wilson	Woodstock	E. E. Nadalin, P.O. Box 201.
679	Centennial	Niagara Falls	W. A. H. Lowe, 2151 Culp St.
680	Woodland	Wawa	R. C. Barstead, Box 294.
681	Claude M. Kent	Oakville	L. H. Campbell, P.O. Box 564.
682	Astra	Weston	J. C. Wardlaw, 160 Mount Olive Dr., Rexdale 610.
683	Wexford	Scarborough	R. D. Parsons, 10 Edge Park Ave., (705).
684	Centennial	London	C. J. Hill, 170 Bruce St., (16).
685	J. A. Hearn	Port Credit	L. F. Inns, 909 Hedge Dr., Mississauga.
686	Atomic	Deep River	G. K. Shultz, Box 26, Chalk River.
687	Meridian	Dundas	A. D. Hahnau, Apt. 9, 43 Herkimer St., Hamilton 10.
688	Wyndham	Guelph	R. G. Tucker, P.O. Box 122.
689	Flower City	Brampton	L. A. Nix, 260 Main St. N.
690	Temple	Kitchener	T. C. Boon, 40 Onward Ave.
691	Friendship	Copper Cliff	K. R. Pollock, P.O. Box 100, Lively.
692	T. H. Simpson	Stoney Creek	J. E. Ascott, 96 Glennie Ave., Hamilton 27.
693	East Gate	Scarborough	D. B. Filsinger, 38 Shediak Rd., (702).
694	Baldoon	Wallaceburg	K. R. Colwell, Box 8.
695	Parkwood	Oshawa	J. G. Porter, 162 Lilac Court.
696	Harry L. Martyn	Toronto	R. J. Woods, 28 Shaunavon Heights, Don Mills 400.
697	Grantham	St. Catharines	F. L. Collard, 24a Wakelin Terrace.
698	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake	R. C. Russell, Box 502.
699	Bethel	Sudbury	L. S. J. Atkinson, Box 253.
700	Corinthian	Kintore	W. Mac Henderson, R.R. 4, Thamesford.
701	Ashlar	Tillsonburg	S. E. L. Woodman, 40 Venison St. E.
702	Lodge of Fellowship	Richmond Hill	H. R. Nelson, 183 May Ave.
703	Lodge of the Pillars	Weston	H. Bocknek, 1 Collinson Blvd., Downsview 474.
704	Aurum	Timmins	L. T. Nicholson, 258 Kirby.
705	Universe	Markham	W. A. T. Owens, 28 Maidavale Ave. Scarborough 703.
706	David T. Campbell	Whitby	H. M. Douglas, 605 Gilbert St. W.
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711	Progress	Toronto	H. W. Lyons, 91 Northdale Blvd., (374).
712	Trafalgar	Oakville	F. H. Ednie, 1054 Melvin Dr.
713	Bridgewood	Woodbridge	J. M. Boak, 25 Siedman St., Malton.
714	Battlefield	Stoney Creek	S. J. Griffin, 17 Bolan Court, Hamilton 53.
715	Islington	Etobicoke	M. McKenzie, 14 Ruscoe Cres., Weston 626.
716	Ionic	London	C. G. Smuck, 20 Thornton Ave.
717	Willowdale	Thornhill	G. H. Loxton, 48 Harlandale Ave., Willowdale 444.
718	Twin Lakes	Orillia	S. L. Wellwood, R.R. 3.
719	Otisippi	Sarnia	W. T. Towner, 916 Kemsley Dr.
720	Confederation	Scarborough	D. G. Bee, 20 Kirkdale Cres., Don Mills.
721	Bytown	Ottawa	T. Taylor, 1361 Henry Farm Drive.
722	Concord	Hespeler	W. S. McVittie, P.O. Box 443.

List of Lodges - By Districts

ALGOMA DISTRICT — (12 Lodges)

D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Kenneth J. Weppier, Terrace Bay.

No. 287—Shuniah	Thunder Bay	No. 618—Thunder Bay	Thunder Bay
No. 415—Fort William	Thunder Bay	No. 636—Hornepayne	Hornepayne
No. 453—Royal	Thunder Bay	No. 656—Kenogamisis	Geraldton
No. 499—Port Arthur	Thunder Bay	No. 662—Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay
No. 511—Connaught	Thunder Bay	No. 672—Superior	Red Rock
No. 584—Kaministiquia	Thunder Bay	No. 709—Lakehead	Thunder Bay

BRANT DISTRICT — (14 Lodges)

D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Neil A. MacPherson, Mount Pleasant.

No. 35—St. John's	Cayuga	No. 243—St. George	St. George
No. 45—Brant	Brantford	No. 319—Hiram	Hagersville
No. 82—St. John's	Paris	No. 329—King Solomon	Jarvis
No. 106—Burford	Burford	No. 505—Lynden	Lynden
No. 113—Wilson	Waterford	No. 508—Ozias	Brantford
No. 121—Doric	Brantford	No. 515—Reba	Brantford
No. 193—Scotland	Scotland	No. 519—Onondaga	Onondaga

BRUCE DISTRICT — (12 Lodges)

D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Lorne B. Evans, Paisley.

No. 131—St. Lawrence	Southampton	No. 393—Forest	Chesley
No. 197—Saugeen	Walkerton	No. 396—Cedar	Warton
No. 235—Aldworth	Paisley	No. 429—Port Elgin	Port Elgin
No. 262—Harriston	Harriston	No. 431—Moravian	Cargill
No. 315—Clifford	Clifford	No. 432—Hanover	Hanover
No. 362—Maple Leaf	Tara	No. 436—Burns	Hepworth

CHATHAM DISTRICT — (15 Lodges)

D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. David R. Bexton, Chatham

No. 46—Wellington	Chatham	No. 336—Highgate	Highgate
No. 245—Tecumseh	Thamesville	No. 390—Florence	Florence
No. 255—Sydenham	Dresden	No. 391—Howard	Ridgetown
No. 267—Parthenon	Chatham	No. 422—Star of the East	Bothwell
No. 274—Kent	Blenheim	No. 457—Century	Merlin
No. 282—Lorne	Glencoe	No. 563—Victory	Chatham
No. 312—Pnyx	Wallaceburg	No. 694—Baldoon	Wallaceburg
No. 327—Hammond	Wardsville		

EASTERN DISTRICT — (20 Lodges)

D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Norman M. MacLeod, Dunvegan.

No. 21a—St. John's	Vankleek Hill	No. 439—Alexandria	Alexandria
No. 125—Cornwall	Cornwall	No. 450—Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury
No. 142—Excelsior	Morrisburg	No. 452—Avonmore	Avonmore
No. 143—Friendly Brothers'	Iroquois	No. 458—Wales	Long Sault
No. 186—Plantagenet	Riceville	No. 480—Williamsburg	Williamsburg
No. 207—Lancaster	Lancaster	No. 491—Cardinal	Cardinal
No. 256—Farran-Ault	Ingleside	No. 557—Finch	Finch
No. 320—Chesterville	Chesterville	No. 596—Martintown	Martintown
No. 383—Henderson	Winchester	No. 669—Corinthian	Cornwall
No. 418—Maxville	Maxville	No. 707—Eastern	Cornwall

FRONTENAC DISTRICT — (18 Lodges)

D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Garnet M. Kirkham, Parham.

No. 3—Ancient St. John's	Kingston	No. 253—Minden	Kingston
No. 9—Union	Napanee	No. 299—Victoria	Centreville
No. 92—Cataraqui	Kingston	No. 404—Lorne	Tamworth
No. 109—Albion	Harrowsmith	No. 441—Westport	Westport
No. 119—Maple Leaf	Bath	No. 460—Rideau	Seeleys Bay
No. 146—Prince of Wales	Newburgh	No. 497—St. Andrew's	Arden
No. 157—Simpson	Newboro	No. 578—Queen's	Kingston
No. 201—Leeds	Gananoque	No. 585—Royal Edward	Kingston
No. 228—Prince Arthur	Odessa	No. 621—Frontenac	Sharbot Lake

GEORGIAN DISTRICT — (21 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. John McL. Dalrymple, Midland.**

No. 90—Manito	Collingwood	No. 385—Spry	Beeton
No. 96—Corinthian	Barrie	No. 444—Nitetis	Creemore
No. 192—Orillia	Orillia	No. 466—Coronation	Elmvale
No. 230—Kerr	Barrie	No. 467—Tottenham	Tottenham
No. 234—Beaver	Thornbury	No. 470—Victoria	Victoria Harbour
No. 236—Manitoba	Cookstown	No. 492—Karnak	Coldwater
No. 249—Caledonian	Midland	No. 538—Earl Kitchener	Pt. McNicoll
No. 266—Northern Light	Stayner	No. 659—Equity	Orillia
No. 285—Seven Star	Alliston	No. 673—Kempenfeldt	Barrie
No. 304—Minerva	Stroud	No. 718—Twin Lakes	Orillia
No. 348—Georgian	Midland		

GREY DISTRICT — (12 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. John R. Mackenzie, Markdale.**

No. 88—St. George's	Owen Sound	No. 333—Prince Arthur	Flesherton
No. 137—Pythagoras	Meaford	No. 334—Prince Arthur	Arthur
No. 200—St. Alban's	Mount Forest	No. 377—Lorne	Shelburne
No. 216—Harris	Orangeville	No. 421—Scott	Grand Valley
No. 306—Durham	Durham	No. 449—Dundalk	Dundalk
No. 322—North Star	Owen Sound	No. 490—Hiram	Markdale

HAMILTON DISTRICT A — (20 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Fred. Scott, Hamilton.**

No. 6—Barton	Hamilton	No. 475—Dundurn	Hamilton
No. 40—St. John's	Hamilton	No. 513—Corinthian	Hamilton
No. 100—Valley	Dundas	No. 551—Tuscan	Hamilton
No. 135—St. Clair	Milton	No. 562—Hamilton	Hamilton
No. 165—Burlington	Burlington	No. 602—Hugh Murray	Hamilton
No. 272—Seymour	Ancaster	No. 603—Campbell	Campbellville
No. 291—Dufferin	W. Flamboro	No. 663—Brant	Burlington
No. 324—Temple	Hamilton	No. 681—Claude M. Kent	Oakville
No. 357—Waterdown	Millgrove	No. 687—Meridian	Dundas
No. 400—Oakville	Oakville	No. 712—Trafalgar	Oakville

HAMILTON DISTRICT B — (21 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. James G. Hamilton, Hamilton.**

No. 7—Union	Grimsby	No. 555—Wardrope	Hamilton
No. 27—Strict Observance	Hamilton	No. 593—St. Andrew's	Hamilton
No. 57—Harmony	Binbrook	No. 594—Hillcrest	Hamilton
No. 61—Acacia	Hamilton	No. 639—Beach	Hamilton Beach
No. 62—St. Andrew's	Caledonia	No. 654—Ancient Landmarks	Hamilton
No. 166—Wentworth	Stoney Creek	No. 667—Composite	Hamilton
No. 185—Enniskillen	York	No. 671—Westmount	Hamilton
No. 382—Doric	Hamilton	No. 692—Thomas Hamilton	Hamilton
No. 495—Electric	Hamilton	Simpson	Stoney Creek
No. 544—Lincoln	Abingdon	No. 714—Battlefield	Stoney Creek
No. 549—Ionic	Hamilton		
No. 550—Buchanan	Hamilton		

LONDON EAST DISTRICT — (13 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Wm. J. Anderson, London.**

No. 20—St. John's	London	No. 380—Union	London
No. 64—Kilwinning	London	No. 394—King Solomon	Thamesford
No. 190—Belmont	Belmont	No. 399—Moffat	Harrietsville
No. 300—Mount Olivet	Thorndale	No. 597—Temple	London
No. 344—Merrill	Dorchester	No. 684—Centennial	London
No. 345—Nilestown	Nilestown	No. 716—Ionic	London
No. 379—Middlesex	Bryanston		

LONDON WEST DISTRICT — (14 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Reginald W. Norris, London.**

No. 42—St. George's	London	No. 358—Delaware Valley	Delaware
No. 81—St. John's Mount	Brydges	No. 378—King Solomon's	London
No. 107—St. Paul's	Lambeth	No. 388—Henderson	Ilberton
No. 195—Tuscan	London	No. 529—Myra	Komoka
No. 209A—St. John's	London	No. 580—Acacia	London
No. 289—Doric	Lobo	No. 610—Ashlar	Byron
No. 330—Corinthian	London	No. 708—Oakridge	Byron

MUSKOKA - PARRY SOUND DISTRICT — (8 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. E. Mingus Moore, Sundridge.**

No. 352—Granite	Parry Sound	No. 423—Strong	Sundridge
No. 360—Muskoka	Bracebridge	No. 434—Algonquin	Emsdale
No. 376—Unity	Huntsville	No. 443—Powassan	Powassan
No. 409—Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	No. 454—Corona	Burks Falls

NIAGARA DISTRICT A — (14 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Wallace M. Secord, Fonthill.**

No. 2—Niagara	Niagara-on-Lake	No. 296—Temple	St. Catharines
No. 15—St. George's	St. Catharines	No. 338—Dufferin	Wellandport
No. 32—Amity	Dunnville	No. 502—Coronation	Smithville
No. 103—Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	No. 614—Adanac	St. Catharines
No. 115—Ivy	Beamsville	No. 616—Perfection	St. Catharines
No. 221—Mountain	Thorold	No. 661—St. Andrew's	St. Catharines
No. 277—Seymour	St. Catharines	No. 697—Grantham	St. Catharines

NIAGARA DISTRICT B — (14 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Gordon K. Brown, Welland.**

No. 105—St. Mark's	Niagara Falls	No. 471—King Edward VII	Chippawa
No. 168—Merritt	Welland	No. 535—Phoenix	Fonthill
No. 169—Macnab	Port Colborne	No. 573—Adoniram	Niagara Falls
No. 254—Clifton	Niagara Falls	No. 613—Fort Erie	Fort Erie
No. 337—Myrtle	Port Robinson	No. 615—Dominion	Ridgeway
No. 372—Palmer	Fort Erie	No. 626—Stamford	Niagara Falls
No. 373—Cope-Stone	Welland	No. 679—Centennial	Niagara Falls

NIPISSING EAST DISTRICT — (8 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Alfred J. Stewart, Cache Bay.**

No. 405—Mattawa	Mattawa	No. 485—Haileybury	Haileybury
No. 420—Nipissing	North Bay	No. 486—Silver	Cobalt
No. 447—Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	No. 507—Elk Lake	Elk Lake
No. 462—Temiskaming	New Liskeard	No. 617—North Bay	North Bay

NIPISSING WEST DISTRICT — (17 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. W. J. Ross Harrison, Elliot Lake.**

No. 412—Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 588—National	Capreol
No. 427—Nickel	Sudbury	No. 622—Lorne	Chapleau
No. 442—Dymont	Thessalon	No. 625—Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie
No. 455—Doric	Little Current	No. 658—Sudbury	Sudbury
No. 469—Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 680—Woodland	Wawa
No. 472—Gore Bay	Gore Bay	No. 691—Friendship	Copper Cliff
No. 487—Penewobikong	Blind River	No. 698—Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake
No. 527—Espanola	Espanola	No. 699—Bethel	Sudbury
No. 536—Algonquin	Copper Cliff		

NORTH HURON DISTRICT — (12 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. J. Carman Thompson, Teeswater.**

No. 93—Northern Light	Kincardine	No. 286—Wingham	Wingham
No. 162—Forest	Wroxeter	No. 303—Blyth	Blyth
No. 184—Old Light	Lucknow	No. 314—Blair	Palmerston
No. 225—Bernard	Listowel	No. 331—Fordwich	Fordwich
No. 276—Teeswater	Teeswater	No. 341—Bruce	Tiverton
No. 284—St. John's	Brussels	No. 568—Hullett	Londesboro

ONTARIO DISTRICT — (15 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. James A. Barron, Oshawa.**

No. 17—St. John's	Cobourg	No. 139—Lebanon	Oshawa
No. 26—Ontario	Port Hope	No. 270—Cedar	Oshawa
No. 30—Composite	Whitby	No. 325—Orono	Orono
No. 31—Jerusalem	Bowmanville	No. 428—Fidelity	Port Perry
No. 39—Mount Zion	Brooklin	No. 649—Temple	Oshawa
No. 66—Durham	Newcastle	No. 695—Parkwood	Oshawa
No. 91—Colborne	Colborne	No. 706—David T. Campbell	Whitby
No. 114—Hope	Port Hope		

OTTAWA DISTRICT 1 — (15 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. J. Alf. Pell, Ottawa.**

No. 58—Doric	Ottawa	No. 476—Corinthian	North Gower
No. 63—St. John's	Carleton Place	No. 479—Russell	Russell
No. 147—Mississippi	Almonte	No. 517—Hazeldean	Hazeldean
No. 148—Civil Service	Ottawa	No. 558—Sidney Albert Luke	Ottawa
No. 159—Goodwood	Richmond	No. 560—St. Andrew's	Ottawa
No. 231—Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	No. 561—Acacia	Ottawa
No. 371—Prince of Wales	Ottawa	No. 665—Temple	Ottawa
No. 465—Carleton	Carp		

OTTAWA DISTRICT 2 —(15 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Kenneth N. Nesbitt, Ottawa.**

No. 52—Dalhousie	Ottawa	No. 516—Enterprise	Beachburg
No. 122—Renfrew	Renfrew	No. 526—Ionic	Ottawa
No. 128—Pembroke	Pembroke	No. 564—Ashlar	Ottawa
No. 177—The Builders	Ottawa	No. 590—Defenders	Ottawa
No. 196—Madawaska	Arnprior	No. 595—Rideau	Ottawa
No. 264—Chaudiere	Ottawa	No. 686—Atomic	Deep River
No. 433—Bonnehchere	Eganville	No. 721—Bytown	Ottawa
No. 459—Cobden	Cobden		

PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT — (12 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. J. Robert Larmer, Millbrook.**

No. 101—Corinthian	Peterborough	No. 374—Keene	Keene
No. 126—Golden Rule	Campbellford	No. 435—Havelock	Havelock
No. 145—J. B. Hall	Millbrook	No. 523—Royal Arthur	Peterborough
No. 155—Peterborough	Peterborough	No. 633—Hastings	Hastings
No. 161—Percy	Warkworth	No. 675—William James	Dunlop
No. 223—Norwood	Norwood		Peterborough
No. 313—Clementi	Lakefield		

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT — (17 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Earl F. Gray, Plainfield.**

No. 11—Moir	Belleville	No. 164—Star in the East	Wellington
No. 18—Prince Edward	Picton	No. 215—Lake	Ameliasburg
No. 29—United	Brighton	No. 222—Marmora	Marmora
No. 38—Trent	Trenton	No. 239—Tweed	Tweed
No. 48—Madoc	Madoc	No. 283—Eureka	Belleville
No. 50—Consecon	Consecon	No. 401—Craig	Deseronto
No. 69—Stirling	Stirling	No. 482—Bancroft	Bancroft
No. 123—Belleville	Belleville	No. 666—Temple	Belleville
No. 127—Frank	Frankford		

SARNIA DISTRICT — (21 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Ross S. McKellar, Mooretown.**

No. 56—Victoria	Sarnia	No. 323—Alvinston	Alvinston
No. 83—Beaver	Strathroy	No. 328—Ionic	Napier
No. 116—Cassia	Thedford	No. 392—Huron	Camlachie
No. 153—Burns'	Wyoming	No. 397—Leopold	Brigden
No. 158—Alexandra	Oil Springs	No. 419—Liberty	Sarnia
No. 194—Petrolia	Petrolia	No. 425—St. Clair	Sombra
No. 238—Havelock	Watford	No. 437—Tuscan	Sarnia
No. 260—Washington	Petrolia	No. 503—Inwood	Inwood
No. 263—Forest	Forest	No. 601—St. Paul	Sarnia
No. 294—Moore	Courtright	No. 719—Otisippi	Sarnia
No. 307—Arkona	Arkona		

SOUTH HURON DISTRICT — (17 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Bryce Skinner, Mitchell.**

No. 33—Maitland	Goderich	No. 233—Doric	Parkhill
No. 73—St. James	St. Marys	No. 309—Morning Star	Carlow
No. 84—Clinton	Clinton	No. 332—Stratford	Stratford
No. 133—Lebanon Forest	Exeter	No. 456—Elma	Monkton
No. 141—Tudor	Mitchell	No. 478—Milverton	Milverton
No. 144—Tecumseh	Stratford	No. 483—Granton	Granton
No. 154—Irving	Lucan	No. 574—Craig	Ailsa Craig
No. 170—Britannia	Seaforth	No. 609—Tavistock	Tavistock
No. 224—Huron	Hensall		

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT — (19 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Jack Magill, Smiths Falls.**

No. 5—Sussex	Brockville	No. 368—Salem	Brockville
No. 14—True Britons'	Perth	No. 370—Harmony	Delta
No. 24—St. Francis	Smiths Falls	No. 387—Lansdowne	Lansdowne
No. 28—Mount Zion	Kemptville	No. 389—Crystal Fountain	N. Augusta
No. 55—Merrickville	Merrickville	No. 416—Lyn	Lyn
No. 74—St. James	South Augusta	No. 489—Osiris	Smiths Falls
No. 85—Rising Sun	Athens	No. 504—Otter	Lombardy
No. 110—Central	Prescott	No. 556—Nation	Spencerville
No. 209—Evergreen	Lanark	No. 650—Fidelity	Toledo
No. 242—Macoy	Mallorytown		

ST. THOMAS DISTRICT — (11 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. William D. Foster, Iona Station.**

No. 44—St. Thomas	St. Thomas	No. 302—St. David's	St. Thomas
No. 94—St. Mark's	Port Stanley	No. 364—Dufferin	Melbourne
No. 120—Warren	Fingal	No. 386—McColl	West Lorne
No. 140—Malahide	Aylmer	No. 411—Rodney	Rodney
No. 171—Prince of Wales	Iona Sta.	No. 546—Talbot	St. Thomas
No. 232—Cameron	Dutton		

TEMISKAMING DISTRICT — (9 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. William E. Taylor, Swastika.**

No. 506—Porcupine	S. Porcupine	No. 623—Doric	Kirkland Lake
No. 528—Golden Beaver	Timmins	No. 648—Spruce Falls	Kapuskasing
No. 530—Cochrane	Cochrane	No. 657—Corinthian	Kirkland Lake
No. 534—Englehart	Englehart	No. 704—Aurum	Timmins
No. 540—Abitibi	Iroquois Falls		

TORONTO DISTRICT 1 — (20 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. William G. McNay, Port Credit.**

No. 229—Ionic	Brampton	No. 619—Runnymede	Toronto
No. 356—River Park	Streetsville	No. 630—Prince of Wales	Toronto
No. 426—Stanley	Toronto	No. 632—Long Branch	Mimico
No. 474—Victoria	Toronto	No. 640—Anthony Sayer	Mimico
No. 501—Connaught	Mimico	No. 645—Lake Shore	Mimico
No. 524—Mississauga	Port Credit	No. 652—Memorial	Toronto
No. 525—Temple	Toronto	No. 674—South Gate	Port Credit
No. 548—General Mercer	Toronto	No. 685—Jos. A. Hearn	Pt. Credit
No. 565—Kilwinning	Toronto	No. 689—Flower City	Brampton
No. 566—King Hiram	Toronto	No. 710—Unity	Brampton

TORONTO DISTRICT 2 — (19 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Walter Hibbins, Willowdale.**

No. 305—Humber	Weston	No. 599—Mt. Dennis	Weston
No. 346—Occident	Toronto	No. 600—Maple Leaf	Etobicoke
No. 369—Mimico	Etobicoke	No. 605—Melita	Thornhill
No. 510—Parkdale	Etobicoke	No. 655—Kingsway	Etobicoke
No. 522—Mt. Sinai	Toronto	No. 664—Sunnylea	Etobicoke
No. 531—High Park	Thornhill	No. 677—Coronation	Weston
No. 575—Fidelity	Toronto	No. 682—Astra	Weston
No. 582—Sunnyside	Toronto	No. 703—Lodge of	
No. 583—Transportation	Toronto	the Pillars	Weston
No. 587—Patricia	Thornhill	No. 715—Islington	Etobicoke

TORONTO DISTRICT 3 — (16 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. J. Leonard Jones, West Hill.**

No. 16—St. Andrew's	Toronto	No. 343—Georgia	Toronto
No. 25—Ionic	Toronto	No. 424—Doric	Pickering
No. 75—St. Johns	Toronto	No. 473—Beaches	Scarborough
No. 136—Richardson	Stouffville	No. 567—St. Aidan's	Scarborough
No. 218—Stevenson	Toronto	No. 612—Birch Cliff	Scarborough
No. 220—Zeredatha	Uxbridge	No. 620—Bay of Quinte	Thornhill
No. 316—Doric	Toronto	No. 637—Caledonia	Toronto
No. 339—Orient	Toronto	No. 720—Confederation	Scarborough

TORONTO DISTRICT 4 — (18 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Wilmer H. Reid, Scarborough.**

No. 87—Markham Union	Markham	No. 576—Mimosa	Toronto
No. 269—Brougham Union	Claremont	No. 647—Todmorden	Toronto
No. 430—Acacia	Toronto	No. 651—Dentonia	Toronto
No. 494—Riverdale	Toronto	No. 653—Scarboro	Scarborough
No. 520—Coronati	Toronto	No. 670—West Hill	Scarborough
No. 532—Canada	Toronto	No. 683—Wexford	Scarborough
No. 543—Imperial	Toronto	No. 693—East Gate	Scarborough
No. 545—John Ross Robertson	Toronto	No. 705—Universe	Markham
No. 552—Queen City	Toronto	No. 711—Progress	Toronto

TORONTO DISTRICT 5 — (15 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Edward J. Barbour, Toronto.**

No. 22—King Solomon's	Toronto	No. 326—Zetland	Toronto
No. 23—Richmond	Richmond Hill	No. 438—Harmony	Thornhill
No. 65—Rehoboam	Toronto	No. 481—Corinthian	Toronto
No. 79—Simcoe	Bradford	No. 577—St. Clair	Thornhill
No. 86—Wilson	Toronto	No. 581—Harcourt	Toronto
No. 97—Sharon	Queensville	No. 629—Grenville	Toronto
No. 99—Tuscan	Newmarket	No. 702—Lodge of Fellowship	
No. 247—Ashlar	Toronto		Richmond Hill

TORONTO DISTRICT 6 — (16 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Grant G. W. Oldham, Mount Albert.**

No. 129—Rising Sun	Aurora	No. 606—Unity	Toronto
No. 156—York	Toronto	No. 607—Golden Fleece	Toronto
No. 265—Patterson	Thornhill	No. 634—Delta	Toronto
No. 512—Malone	Sutton West	No. 638—Bedford	Toronto
No. 542—Metropolitan	Toronto	No. 646—Rowland	Mt. Albert
No. 553—Oakwood	Toronto	No. 676—Kroy	Thornhill
No. 591—North Gate	Toronto	No. 696—Harry L. Martyn	Toronto
No. 592—Fairbank	Toronto	No. 717—Willowdale	Richmond Hill

TORONTO DISTRICT 7 — (26 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Frederick E. Harrison, Toronto.**

No. 54—Vaughan	Maple	No. 541—Tuscan	Toronto
No. 98—True Blue	Bolton	No. 547—Victory	Toronto
No. 118—Union	Schomberg	No. 559—Palestine	Toronto
No. 292—Robertson	King	No. 570—Dufferin	Toronto
No. 311—Blackwood	Woodbridge	No. 571—Antiquity	Toronto
No. 367—St. George	Toronto	No. 572—Mizpah	Toronto
No. 384—Alpha	Toronto	No. 586—Remembrance	Thornhill
No. 410—Zeta	Toronto	No. 589—Grey	Toronto
No. 468—Peel	Caledon East	No. 611—Huron-Bruce	Toronto
No. 496—University	Toronto	No. 635—Wellington	Toronto
No. 514—St. Alban's	Toronto	No. 643—Cathedral	Toronto
No. 533—Shamrock	Toronto	No. 644—Simcoe	Toronto
No. 537—Ulster	Toronto	No. 713—Bridgewood	Woodbridge

VICTORIA DISTRICT — (14 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Ivan G. Rodd, Cameron.**

No. 77—Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	No. 440—Arcadia	Minden
No. 268—Verulam	Bobcaygeon	No. 451—Somerville	Kinmount
No. 354—Brock	Cannington	No. 463—North Entrance	Haliburton
No. 375—Lorne	Omeme	No. 464—King Edward	Sunderland
No. 398—Victoria	Kirkfield	No. 477—Harding	Woodville
No. 406—Spry	Fenelon Falls	No. 498—King George V	Coboconk
No. 408—Murray	Beaverton	No. 608—Gothic	Lindsay

WATERLOO DISTRICT — (12 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Garfield J. Weber, New Dundee.**

No. 72—Alma	Galt	No. 297—Preston	Preston
No. 151—Grand River	Kitchener	No. 318—Wilmot	Baden
No. 172—Ayr	Ayr	No. 509—Twin City	Kitchener
No. 205—NewDom'n	New Hamburg	No. 539—Waterloo	Waterloo
No. 257—Galt	Galt	No. 628—Glenrose	Elmira
No. 279—New Hope	Hespeler	No. 690—Temple	Kitchener

WELLINGTON DISTRICT — (11 Lodges).**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. John L. Carter, Fergus.**

No. 180—Speed	Guelph	No. 321—Walker	Acton
No. 203—Irvine	Elora	No. 347—Mercer	Fergus
No. 219—Credit	Georgetown	No. 361—Waverley	Guelph
No. 258—Guelph	Guelph	No. 688—Wyndham	Guelph
No. 271—Wellington	Erin	No. 722—Concord	Hespeler
No. 295—Conestogo	Drayton		

WESTERN DISTRICT — (10 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Carl F. Schubring, Fort Frances.**

No. 414—Pequonga	Kenora	No. 484—Golden Star	Dryden
No. 417—Keewatin	Keewatin	No. 518—Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout
No. 445—Lake of the Woods	Kenora	No. 631—Manitou	Emo
No. 446—Granite	Fort Frances	No. 660—Chukuni	Red Lake
No. 461—Ionic	Rainy River	No. 668—Atikokan	Atikokan

WILSON DISTRICT — (23 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. John W. Froggett, Vienna.**

No. 10—Norfolk	Simcoe	No. 217—Frederick	Delhi
No. 37—King Hiram	Ingersoll	No. 237—Vienna	Vienna
No. 43—King Solomon's	Woodstock	No. 250—Thistle	Embro
No. 68—St. John's	Ingersoll	No. 259—Springfield	Springfield
No. 76—Oxford	Woodstock	No. 261—Oak Branch	Innerkip
No. 78—King Hiram	Tillsonburg	No. 359—Vittoria	Vittoria
No. 104—St. John's	Norwich	No. 569—Doric	Lakeside
No. 108—Blenheim	Princeton	No. 624—Dereham	Mt. Elgin
No. 149—Erie	Port Dover	No. 678—Mercer Wilson	Woodstock
No. 174—Walsingham	Port Rowan	No. 700—Corinthian	Kintore
No. 178—Plattsville	Plattsville	No. 701—Ashlar	Tillsonburg
No. 181—Oriental	Port Burwell		

WINDSOR DISTRICT — (19 Lodges)**D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Allan H. McGuire, Tilbury.**

No. 34—Thistle	Amherstburg	No. 500—Rose	Windsor
No. 41—St. George's	Kingsville	No. 521—Ontario	Windsor
No. 47—Great Western	Windsor	No. 554—Border Cities	Windsor
No. 290—Leamington	Leamington	No. 579—Harmony	Windsor
No. 395—Parvaim	Comber	No. 598—Dominion	Windsor
No. 402—Central	Essex	No. 604—Palace	Windsor
No. 403—Windsor	Windsor	No. 627—Pelee	Pelee Island
No. 413—Naphtali	Tilbury	No. 641—Garden	Windsor
No. 448—Xenophon	Wheatley	No. 642—St. Andrew's	Windsor
No. 488—King Edward	Harrow		

RECAPITULATION

Algoma District	12 Lodges
Brant District	14 Lodges
Bruce District	12 Lodges
Chatham District	15 Lodges
Eastern District	20 Lodges
Frontenac District	18 Lodges
Georgian District	21 Lodges
Grey District	12 Lodges
Hamilton A District	20 Lodges
Hamilton B District	21 Lodges
London East District	13 Lodges

London West District	14	Lodges
Muskoka — Parry Sound District	8	Lodges
Niagara A District	14	Lodges
Niagara B District	14	Lodges
Nipissing East District	8	Lodges
Nipissing West District	17	Lodges
North Huron District	12	Lodges
Ontario District	15	Lodges
Peterborough District	12	Lodges
Ottawa District 1	15	Lodges
Ottawa District 2	15	Lodges
Prince Edward District	17	Lodges
Sarnia District	21	Lodges
South Huron District	17	Lodges
St. Lawrence District	19	Lodges
St. Thomas District	11	Lodges
Temiskaming District	9	Lodges
Toronto 1 District	20	Lodges
Toronto 2 District	19	Lodges
Toronto 3 District	16	Lodges
Toronto 4 District	18	Lodges
Toronto 5 District	15	Lodges
Toronto 6 District	16	Lodges
Toronto 7 District	26	Lodges
Victoria District	14	Lodges
Waterloo District	12	Lodges
Wellington District	11	Lodges
Western District	10	Lodges
Wilson District	23	Lodges
Windsor District	19	Lodges

LODGES, ALPHABETICALLY

No. and Name	Location	No. and Name	Location
540 Abitibi	Iroquois Falls	153 Burns'	Wyoming
61 Acacia	Hamilton	436 Burns	Hepworth
430 Acacia	Toronto	721 Bytown	Ottawa
561 Acacia	Ottawa	637 Caledonia	Toronto
580 Acacia	London	249 Caledonian	Midland
614 Adanac	St. Catharines	232 Cameron	Dutton
573 Adoniram	Niagara Falls	603 Campbell	Campbellville
109 Albion	Harrowsmith	532 Canada	Toronto
235 Aldworth	Paisley	491 Cardinal	Cardinal
158 Alexandra	Oil Springs	465 Carleton	Carp
439 Alexandria	Alexandria	116 Cassia	Thedford
469 Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	92 Cataragui	Kingston
434 Algonquin	Emsdale	643 Cathedral	Toronto
536 Algonquin	Copper Cliff	110 Central	Prescott
72 Alma	Galt	402 Central	Essex
384 Alpha	Toronto	270 Cedar	Oshawa
323 Alvinston	Alvinston	396 Cedar	Warton
32 Amity	Dunnville	684 Centennial	London
654 Ancient Landmarks ..	Hamilton	679 Centennial	Niagara Falls
3 Ancient St. John's ..	Kingston	457 Century	Merlin
640 Anthony Sayer	Mimico	264 Chaudiere	Ottawa
571 Antiquity	Toronto	320 Chesterville	Chesterville
440 Arcadia	Minden	660 Chukuni	Red Lake
307 Arkona	Arkona	148 Civil Service	Ottawa
247 Ashlar	Toronto	681 Claude M. Kent	Oakville
564 Ashlar	Ottawa	313 Clementi	Lakefield
610 Ashlar	Byron	315 Clifford	Clifford
701 Ashlar	Tillsonburg	254 Clifton	Niagara Falls
682 Astra	Weston	84 Clinton	Clinton
668 Atikokan	Atikokan	459 Cobden	Cobden
686 Atomic	Deep River	530 Cochrane	Cochrane
704 Aurum	Timmins	91 Colborne	Colborne
452 Avonmore	Avonmore	30 Composite	Whitby
172 Ayr	Ayr	667 Composite	Hamilton
694 Baldoon	Wallaceburg	722 Concord	Hespeler
482 Bancroft	Bancroft	295 Conestogo	Drayton
6 Barton	Hamilton	720 Confederation	Scarborough
714 Battlefield	Stoney Creek	501 Connaught	Mimico
620 Bay of Quinte	Thornhill	511 Connaught	Thunder Bay
639 Beach	Hamilton Beach	50 Consecon	Consecon
473 Beaches	Scarborough	373 Cope-Stone	Welland
83 Beaver	Strathroy	96 Corinthian	Barrie
234 Beaver	Thornbury	101 Corinthian	Peterborough
638 Bedford	Toronto	330 Corinthian	London
123 Belleville	Belleville	476 Corinthian	North Gower
190 Belmont	Belmont	481 Corinthian	Toronto
225 Bernard	Listowel	513 Corinthian	Hamilton
699 Bethel	Sudbury	657 Corinthian	Kirkland Lake
612 Birch Cliff	Scarborough	669 Corinthian	Cornwall
311 Blackwood	Woodbridge	700 Corinthian	Kintore
314 Blair	Palmerston	125 Cornwall	Cornwall
108 Blenheim	Princeton	454 Corona	Burks Falls
303 Blyth	Blyth	520 Coronati	Toronto
433 Bonnechere	Eganville	466 Coronation	Elmvale
554 Border Cities	Windsor	502 Coronation	Smithville
45 Brant	Brantford	677 Coronation	Weston
663 Brant	Burlington	401 Craig	Deseronto
713 Bridgewood	Woodbridge	574 Craig	Ailsa Craig
170 Britannia	Scaforth	219 Credit	Georgetown
354 Brock	Cannington	389 Crystal Fountain ..	N. Augusta
269 Brougham Union ..	Claremont	52 Dalhousie	Ottawa
341 Bruce	Tiverton	706 David T. Campbell ..	Whitby
550 Buchanan	Hamilton	590 Defenders	Ottawa
106 Burford	Burford	358 Delaware Valley ..	Delaware
165 Burlington	Burlington	634 Delta	Toronto

No. and Name	Location	No. and Name	Location
651 Dentonia	Toronto	484 Golden Star	Dryden
624 Dereham	Mount Elgin	159 Goodwood	Richmond
598 Dominion	Windsor	472 Gore Bay	Gore Bay
615 Dominion	Ridgeway	608 Gothic	Lindsay
58 Doric	Ottawa	151 Grand River	Kitchener
121 Doric	Brantford	446 Granite	Fort Frances
233 Doric	Parkhill	352 Granite	Parry Sound
289 Doric	Lobo	697 Grantham	St. Catharines
316 Doric	Toronto	483 Granton	Granton
382 Doric	Hamilton	47 Great Western	Windsor
424 Doric	Pickering	629 Grenville	Toronto
455 Doric	Little Current	589 Grey	Toronto
569 Doric	Lakeside	258 Guelph	Guelph
623 Doric	Kirkland Lake	485 Haileybury	Haileybury
291 Dufferin	W. Flamboro	562 Hamilton	Hamilton
338 Dufferin	Wellandport	327 Hammond	Wardsville
364 Dufferin	Melbourne	432 Hanover	Hanover
570 Dufferin	Toronto	581 Harcourt	Toronto
449 Dundalk	Dundalk	477 Harding	Woodville
475 Dundurn	Hamilton	57 Harmony	Binbrook
66 Durham	Newcastle	370 Harmony	Delta
306 Durham	Durham	438 Harmony	Thornhill
442 Dymont	Thessalon	579 Harmony	Windsor
538 Earl Kitchener	Port McNicoll	216 Harris	Orangeville
693 East Gate	Scarborough	262 Harriston	Harriston
707 Eastern	Cornwall	696 Harry L. Martyn	Toronto
495 Electric	Hamilton	633 Hastings	Hastings
507 Elk Lake	Elk Lake	625 Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie
698 Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake	238 Havelock	Watford
456 Elma	Monkton	435 Havelock	Havelock
534 Englehart	Englehart	450 Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury
185 Enniskillen	York	517 Hazeldean	Hazeldean
516 Enterprise	Beachburg	383 Henderson	Winchester
659 Equity	Orillia	388 Henderson	Ilderton
149 Erie	Port Dover	336 Highgate	Highgate
527 Espanola	Espanola	531 High Park	Thornhill
283 Eureka	Belleville	594 Hillcrest	Hamilton
209 Evergreen	Lanark	319 Hiram	Hagersville
142 Excelsior	Morrisburg	490 Hiram	Markdale
592 Fairbank	Toronto	114 Hope	Port Hope
77 Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	636 Hornepayne	Hornepayne
256 Farran-Ault	Ingleside	391 Howard	Ridgetown
428 Fidelity	Port Perry	602 Hugh Murray	Hamilton
575 Fidelity	Toronto	568 Hullett	Londesboro
650 Fidelity	Toledo	305 Humber	Weston
557 Finch	Finch	224 Huron	Hensall
390 Florence	Florence	392 Huron	Camlachie
689 Flower City	Brampton	611 Huron-Bruce	Toronto
331 Fordwich	Fordwich	543 Imperial	Toronto
162 Forest	Wroxeter	503 Inwood	Inwood
263 Forest	Forest	25 Ionic	Toronto
393 Forest	Chesley	229 Ionic	Brampton
613 Fort Erie	Fort Erie	328 Ionic	Napier
415 Fort William	Thunder Bay	461 Ionic	Rainy River
127 Franck	Frankford	526 Ionic	Ottawa
217 Frederick	Delhi	549 Ionic	Hamilton
143 Friendly Brothers	Iroquois	716 Ionic	London
691 Friendship	Copper Cliff	203 Irvine	Elora
621 Frontenac	Sharbot Lake	154 Irving	Lucan
257 Galt	Galt	715 Islington	Etobicoke
641 Garden	Windsor	115 Ivy	Beamsville
548 General Mercer	Toronto	145 J. B. Hall	Millbrook
348 Georgian	Midland	31 Jerusalem	Bowmanville
343 Georgina	Toronto	545 John Ross Robertson	Toronto
628 Glenrose	Elmira	685 Joseph A. Hearn	Pt. Credit
528 Golden Beaver	Timmins	584 Kaministiquia	Thunder Bay
607 Golden Fleece	Toronto	492 Karnak	Coldwater
126 Golden Rule	Campbellford	374 Keene	Keene
409 Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	417 Keewatin	Keewatin

No. and Name	Location	No. and Name	Location
673 Kempenfeldt	Barrie	678 Mercer Wilson	Woodstock
656 Kenogamisiss	Geraldton	687 Meridian	Dundas
274 Kent	Blenheim	55 Merrickville	Merrickville
230 Kerr	Barrie	344 Merrill	Dorchester
412 Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	168 Merritt	Welland
64 Kilwinning	London	542 Metropolitan	Toronto
565 Kilwinning	Toronto	379 Middlesex	Bryanston
464 King Edward	Sunderland	478 Milverton	Milverton
488 King Edward	Harrow	369 Mimico	Etobicoke
471 King Edward VII ..	Chippawa	576 Mimosa	Toronto
498 King George V	Coboconk	253 Minden	Kingston
37 King Hiram	Ingersoll	304 Minerva	Stroud
78 King Hiram	Tillsonburg	524 Mississauga	Port Credit
566 King Hiram	Toronto	147 Mississippi	Almonte
22 King Solomon's	Toronto	572 Mizpah	Toronto
43 King Solomon's	Woodstock	399 Moffat	Harrietsville
329 King Solomon	Jarvis	11 Moira	Belleville
378 King Solomon's	London	294 Moore	Courtright
394 King Solomon	Thamesford	599 Mt. Dennis	Weston
655 Kingsway	Etobicoke	300 Mt. Olivet	Thorndale
676 Kroy	Thornhill	522 Mt. Sinai	Toronto
215 Lake	Ameliasburg	28 Mt. Zion	Kemptville
709 Lakehead	Thunder Bay	39 Mt. Zion	Brooklin
445 Lake of the Woods ..	Kenora	431 Moravian	Cargill
645 Lake Shore	Mimico	309 Morning Star	Carlow
207 Lancaster	Lancaster	221 Mountain	Thorold
387 Lansdowne	Lansdowne	408 Murray	Beaverton
290 Leamington	Leamington	360 Muskoka	Bracebridge
139 Lebanon	Oshawa	529 Myra	Komoka
133 Lebanon Forest	Exeter	337 Myrtle	Port Robinson
201 Leeds	Gananoque	413 Naphtali	Tilbury
397 Leopold	Brigden	556 Nation	Spencerville
419 Liberty	Sarnia	588 National	Capreol
544 Lincoln	Abingdon	2 Niagara	Niagara-on-the-Lake
702 Lodge of Fellowship ..	Richmond Hill	427 Nickel	Sudbury
231 Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	345 Nilestown	Nilestown
703 Lodge of the Pillars ..	Weston	420 Nipissing	North Bay
632 Long Branch	Mimico	205 New Dominion	New Hamburg
282 Lorne	Glencoe	279 New Hope	Hespeler
375 Lorne	Omeme	444 Nitetis	Creemore
377 Lorne	Shelburne	10 Norfolk	Simcoe
404 Lorne	Tamworth	617 North Bay	North Bay
622 Lorne	Chapleau	463 North Entrance	Haliburton
416 Lyn	Lyn	591 North Gate	Toronto
505 Lynden	Lynden	322 North Star	Owen Sound
242 Macoy	Mallorytown	93 Northern Light	Kincardine
169 Macnab	Port Colborne	266 Northern Light	Stayner
196 Madawaska	Arnprior	223 Norwood	Norwood
48 Madoc	Madoc	261 Oak Branch	Innerkip
33 Maitland	Goderich	708 Oakridge	Byron
140 Malahide	Aylmer	400 Oakville	Oakville
512 Malone	Sutton W.	553 Oakwood	Toronto
90 Manito	Collingwood	346 Occident	Toronto
236 Manitoba	Cookstown	184 Old Light	Lucknow
631 Manitou	Emo	519 Onondaga	Onondaga
103 Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	26 Ontario	Port Hope
119 Maple Leaf	Bath	521 Ontario	Windsor
362 Maple Leaf	Tara	339 Orient	Toronto
600 Maple Leaf	Etobicoke	181 Oriental	Port Burwell
87 Markham Union	Markham	192 Orillia	Orillia
222 Marmora	Marmora	325 Orono	Orono
596 Martintown	Martintown	489 Osiris	Smiths Falls
405 Mattawa	Mattawa	719 Otisippi	Sarnia
418 Maxville	Maxville	504 Otter	Lombardy
386 McColl	West Lorne	76 Oxford	Woodstock
605 Melita	Thornhill	508 Ozias	Brantford
652 Memorial	Toronto	604 Palace	Windsor
347 Mercer	Fergus	559 Palestine	Toronto
		372 Palmer	Fort Erie

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No. and Name	Location	No. and Name	Location
510 Parkdale	Etobicoke	577 St. Clair	Thornhill
695 Parkwood	Oshawa	302 St. David's	St. Thomas
267 Parthenon	Chatham	24 St. Francis	Smiths Falls
395 Parvaim	Comber	15 St. George's	St. Catharines
587 Patricia	Thornhill	41 St. George's	Kingsville
265 Patterson	Thornhill	42 St. George's	London
468 Peel	Caledon East	88 St. George's	Owen Sound
627 Pelee	Pelee Island	243 St. George	St. George
128 Pembroke	Pembroke	367 St. George	Toronto
487 Penewobikong	Blind River	73 St. James	St. Marys
414 Pequonga	Kenora	74 St. James	So. Augusta
161 Percy	Warkworth	17 St. John's	Cobourg
616 Perfection	St. Catharines	20 St. John's	London
155 Peterborough	Peterborough	21a St. John's	Vankleek Hill
194 Petrolia	Petrolia	35 St. John's	Cayuga
535 Phoenix	Fonthill	40 St. John's	Hamilton
186 Plantagenet	Riceville	63 St. John's	Carleton Place
178 Plattsville	Plattsville	68 St. John's	Ingersoll
312 Pnyx	Wallaceburg	75 St. Johns	Toronto
506 Porcupine	S. Porcupine	81 St. John's	Mt. Brydges
499 Port Arthur	Thunder Bay	82 St. John's	Paris
429 Port Elgin	Port Elgin	104 St. John's	Norwich
443 Powassan	Powassan	209a St. John's	London
297 Preston	Preston	284 St. John's	Brussels
228 Prince Arthur	Odessa	131 St. Lawrence	Southampton
333 Prince Arthur	Flesherton	94 St. Mark's	Port Stanley
334 Prince Arthur	Arthur	105 St. Mark's	Niagara Falls
18 Prince Edward	Picton	107 St. Paul's	Lambeth
146 Prince of Wales	Newburgh	601 St. Paul	Sarnia
171 Prince of Wales	Iona Sta.	44 St. Thomas	St. Thomas
371 Prince of Wales	Ottawa	368 Salem	Brockville
630 Prince of Wales	Toronto	197 Saugen	Walkerton
711 Progress	Toronto	653 Scarboro	Scarborough
137 Pythagoras	Meaford	193 Scotland	Scotland
552 Queen City	Toronto	421 Scott	Grand Valley
578 Queen's	Kingston	285 Seven Star	Alliston
515 Reba	Brantford	272 Seymour	Ancaster
65 Rehoboam	Toronto	277 Seymour	St. Catharines
586 Remembrance	Thornhill	533 Shamrock	Toronto
122 Renfrew	Renfrew	97 Sharon	Queensville
136 Richardson	Stouffville	287 Shuniah	Thunder Bay
23 Richmond	Richmond Hill	558 Sidney Albert Luke	Ottawa
460 Rideau	Seeleys Bay	486 Silver	Cobalt
595 Rideau	Ottawa	79 Simcoe	Bradford
85 Rising Sun	Athens	644 Simcoe	Toronto
129 Rising Sun	Aurora	157 Simpson	Newboro
494 Riverdale	Toronto	518 Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout
356 River Park	Streetsville	451 Somerville	Kinmount
292 Robertson	King	674 South Gate	Port Credit
411 Rodney	Rodney	180 Speed	Guelph
500 Rose	Windsor	259 Springfield	Springfield
646 Rowland	Mt. Albert	385 Spry	Beeton
453 Royal	Thunder Bay	406 Spry	Fenelon Falls
523 Royal Arthur	Peterborough	648 Spruce Falls	Kapuskasing
585 Royal Edward	Kingston	626 Stamford	Niagara Falls
619 Runnymede	Toronto	426 Stanley	Toronto
479 Russell	Russell	164 Star in the East	Wellington
567 St. Aidan's	Scarborough	422 Star of the East	Bothwell
200 St. Alban's	Mt. Forest	218 Stevenson	Toronto
514 St. Alban's	Toronto	69 Stirling	Stirling
16 St. Andrew's	Toronto	332 Stratford	Stratford
62 St. Andrew's	Caledonia	27 Strict Observance	Hamilton
497 St. Andrew's	Arden	423 Strong	Sundridge
560 St. Andrew's	Ottawa	447 Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls
593 St. Andrew's	Hamilton	658 Sudbury	Sudbury
642 St. Andrew's	Windsor	664 Sunnylea	Etobicoke
661 St. Andrew's	St. Catharines	582 Sunnyside	Toronto
135 St. Clair	Milton	672 Superior	Red Rock
425 St. Clair	Sombra	5 Sussex	Brockville

No. and Name	Location	No. and Name	Location
255 Sydenham	Dresden	705 Universe	Markham
546 Talbot	St. Thomas	496 University	Toronto
609 Tavistock	Tavistock	100 Valley	Dundas
144 Tecumseh	Stratford	54 Vaughan	Maple
245 Tecumseh	Thamesville	268 Verulam	Bobcaygeon
276 Teeswater	Teeswater	56 Victoria	Sarnia
462 Temiskaming	New Liskeard	299 Victoria	Centreville
296 Temple	St. Catharines	398 Victoria	Kirkfield
324 Temple	Hamilton	470 Victoria	Victoria Harbour
525 Temple	Toronto	474 Victoria	Toronto
597 Temple	London	547 Victory	Toronto
649 Temple	Oshawa	563 Victory	Chatham
665 Temple	Ottawa	237 Vienna	Vienna
666 Temple	Belleville	359 Vittoria	Vittoria
690 Temple	Kitchener	458 Wales	Long Sault
662 Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay	321 Walker	Acton
177 The Builders	Ottawa	174 Walsingham	Port Rowan
34 Thistle	Amherstburg	555 Wardrobe	Hamilton
250 Thistle	Embro	120 Warren	Fingal
692 Thomas Hamilton Simpson	Stoney Creek	260 Washington	Petrolia
618 Thunder Bay	Thunder Bay	357 Waterdown	Millgrove
647 Todmorden	Toronto	539 Waterloo	Waterloo
467 Tottenham	Tottenham	361 Waverley	Guelph
712 Trafalgar	Oakville	46 Wellington	Chatham
583 Transportation	Toronto	271 Wellington	Erin
38 Trent	Trenton	635 Wellington	Toronto
98 True Blue	Bolton	166 Wentworth	Stoney Creek
14 True Briton's	Perth	670 West Hill	Scarborough
141 Tudor	Mitchell	671 Westmount	Hamilton
99 Tuscan	Newmarket	441 Westport	Westport
195 Tuscan	London	683 Wexford	Scarborough
437 Tuscan	Sarnia	675 William James	Peterborough
551 Tuscan	Hamilton	Dunlop	Richmond Hill
541 Tuscan	Toronto	717 Willowdale	Williamsburg
239 Tweed	Tweed	480 Williamsburg	Williamsburg
509 Twin City	Kitchener	318 Wilmot	Baden
718 Twin Lakes	Orillia	86 Wilson	Toronto
537 Ulster	Toronto	113 Wilson	Waterford
7 Union	Grimsby	403 Windsor	Windsor
9 Union	Napanee	286 Wingham	Wingham
118 Union	Schomberg	680 Woodland	Wawa
380 Union	London	688 Wyndham	Guelph
29 United	Brighton	448 Xenophon	Wheatley
376 Unity	Huntsville	156 York	Toronto
606 Unity	Toronto	220 Zerodatha	Uxbridge
710 Unity	Brampton	410 Zeta	Toronto
		326 Zetland	Toronto

LODGES BY LOCATION

Location	Name and No.	Location	Name and No.
Abingdon	Lincoln 544	Caledon East	Peel 468
Acton	Walker 321	Caledonia	St. Andrew's 62
Ailsa Craig	Craig 574	Campbellford	Golden Rule 126
Alexandria	Alexandria 439	Campbellville	Campbell 603
Alliston	Seven Star 285	Camlachie	Huron 392
Almonte	Mississippi 147	Cannington	Brock 354
Alvinston	Alvinston 323	Capreol	National 588
Ameliasburg	Lake 215	Cardinal	Cardinal 491
Amherstburg	Thistle 34	Cargill	Moravian 431
Ancaster	Seymour 272	Carlow	Morning Star 309
Arden	St. Andrew's 497	Carp	Carleton 465
Arkona	Arkona 307	Carleton Place	St. John's 63
Arnprior	Madawaska 196	Cayuga	St. John's 35
Arthur	Prince Arthur 334	Centreville	Victoria 299
Athens	Rising Sun 85	Chapleau	Lorne 622
Atikokan	Atikokan 668	Chatham	Parthenon 267
Aurora	Rising Sun 129	Chatham	Victory 563
Avonmore	Avonmore 452	Chatham	Wellington 46
Aylmer	Malahide 140	Chesley	Forest 393
Ayr	Ayr 172	Chesterville	Chesterville 320
Baden	Wilmot 318	Chippawa	King Edward VII 471
Bancroft	Bancroft 482	Claremont	Brougham Union 269
Barrie	Corinthian 96	Clifford	Clifford 315
Barrie	Kempensfeldt 673	Clinton	Clinton 84
Barrie	Kerr 230	Cobalt	Silver 486
Bath	Maple Leaf 119	Cobden	Cobden 459
Beachburg	Enterprise 516	Cobourg	St. John's 17
Beamsville	Ivy 115	Coboconk	King George V 498
Beaverton	Murray 408	Cochrane	Cochrane 530
Beeton	Spry 385	Colborne	Colborne 91
Belleville	Eureka 283	Coldwater	Karnak 492
Belleville	Moir 11	Collingwood	Manito 90
Belleville	Belleville 123	Comber	Parvaim 395
Belleville	Temple 666	Consecon	Consecon 50
Belmont	Belmont 190	Cookstown	Manitoba 236
Binbrook	Harmony 57	Copper Cliff	Algonquin 536
Blenheim	Kent 274	Copper Cliff	Friendship 691
Blind River	Penewobikong 487	Cornwall	Corinthian 669
Blyth	Blyth 303	Cornwall	Cornwall 125
Bobcaygeon	Verulam 268	Cornwall	Eastern 707
Bolton	True Blue 98	Courtright	Moore 294
Bothwell	Star of the East 422	Creemore	Nitatis 444
Bowmanville	Jerusalem 31	Deep River	Atomic 686
Bracebridge	Muskoka 360	Delaware	Delaware Valley 358
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Brampton	Flower City 689	Delta	Harmony 370
Brampton	Ionie 229	Deseronto	Craig 401
Brampton	Unity 710	Dorchester	Merrill 344
Brantford	Brant 45	Drayton	Conestogo 295
Brantford	Doric 121	Dresden	Sydenham 255
Brantford	Ozias 508	Dryden	Golden Star 484
Brantford	Reba 515	Dundalk	Dundalk 449
Brigden	Leopold 397	Dundas	Meridian 687
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Brockville	Salem 368	Dunnville	Amity 32
Brockville	Sussex 5	Durham	Durham 306
Brooklin	Mount Zion 39	Dutton	Cameron 232
Brussels	St. John's 284	Eganville	Bonnechere 433
Bryanston	Middlesex 379	Elk Lake	Elk Lake 507
Burford	Burford 106	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake 698
Burks Falls	Corona 454	Elmira	Glenrose 628
Burlington	Brant 663	Elmvale	Coronation 466
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Fergus	Mercer 347	Ingersoll	King Hiram 37
Finch	Finch 557	Ingersoll	St. John's 68
Fingal	Warren 120	Ingleside	Farran-Ault 256
Flesherton	Prince Arthur 333	Innerkip	Oak Branch 261
Florence	Florence 390	Inwood	Inwood 503
Fordwich	Fordwich 331	Iona Station	Prince of Wales 171
Forest	Forest 263	Iroquois	Friendly Brothers' 143
Fonthill	Phoenix 535	Iroquois Falls	Abitibi 540
Fort Erie	Fort Erie 613	Jarvis	King Solomon 329
Fort Erie	Palmer 372	Kapuskasing	Spruce Falls 648
Fort Frances	Granite 446	Keene	Keene 374
Frankford	Franck 127	Keewatin	Keewatin 417
Galt	Alma 72	Kemptville	Mount Zion 28
Galt	Galt 257	Kenora	Lake of the Woods 445
Gananoque	Leeds 201	Kenora	Pequonga 414
Georgetown	Credit 219	Kincardine	Northern Light 93
Geraldton	Kenogamisis 656	King	Robertson 292
Glencoe	Lorne 282	Kingston	Ancient St. John's 3
Goderich	Maitland 33	Kingston	Cataraqui 92
Gore Bay	Gore Bay 472	Kingston	Minden 253
Grand Valley	Scott 421	Kingston	Queen's 578
Granton	Granton 483	Kingston	Royal Edward 585
Gravenhurst	Golden Rule 409	Kingsville	St. George's 41
Grimsby	Union 7	Kinmount	Somerville 451
Guelph	Guelph 258	Kintore	Corinthian 700
Guelph	Speed 180	Kirkfield	Victoria 398
Guelph	Waverley 361	Kirkland Lake	Corinthian 657
Guelph	Wyndham 688	Kirkland Lake	Doric 623
Hagersville	Hiram 319	Kitchener	Grand River 151
Haileybury	Haileybury 485	Kitchener	Temple 690
Haliburton	North Entrance 463	Kitchener	Twin City 509
Hamilton	Acacia 61	Komoka	Myra 529
Hamilton	Ancient Landmarks 654	Lakefield	Clementi 313
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Hamilton	Dundurn 475	Lansdowne	Lansdowne 387
Hamilton	Hamilton 562	Leamington	Leamington 290
Hamilton	Hillcrest 594	Lindsay	Faithful Brethren 77
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Hamilton	Wardrope 555	London	Ionic 716
Hamilton	Westmount 671	London	Kilwinning 64
Hamilton Beach	Beach 639	London	King Solomon's 378
Hanover	Hanover 432	London	St. George's 42
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Lucknow	Old Light 184	Oshawa	Lebanon 139
Lyn	Lyn 416	Oshawa	Parkwood 695
Lynden	Lynden 505	Oshawa	Temple 649
Madoc	Madoc 48	Ottawa	Acacia 561
Mallorytown	Macoy 242	Ottawa	Ashlar 564
Maple	Vaughan 54	Ottawa	The Builders 177
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Markham	Markham Union 87	Ottawa	Chaudiere 264
Markham	Universe 705	Ottawa	Civil Service 148
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Martintown	Martintown 596	Ottawa	Defenders 590
Mattawa	Mattawa 405	Ottawa	Doric 58
Maxville	Maxville 418	Ottawa	Ionic 526
Meaford	Pythagoras 137	Ottawa	Lodge of Fidelity 231
Melbourne	Dufferin 364	Ottawa	Prince of Wales 371
Merlin	Century 457	Ottawa	Rideau 595
Merrickville	Merrickville 55	Ottawa	St. Andrew's 560
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Milverton	Milverton 478	Palmerston	Blair 314
Mimico	Anthony Sayer 640	Paris	St. John's 82
Mimico	Connaught 501	Parkhill	Doric 233
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Minden	Arcadia 440	Pembroke	Pembroke 128
Mitchell	Tudor 141	Perth	True Britons' 14
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Mount Albert	Rowland 646	Peterborough	Royal Arthur 523
Mount Brydges	St. John's 81	Peterborough	William James
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North Bay	North Bay 617	Port Stanley	St. Mark's 94
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Norwich	St. John's 104	Prescott	Central 110
Norwood	Norwood 223	Preston	Preston 297
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St. Thomas	St. David's 302	Thornhill	High Park 531
St. Thomas	St. Thomas 44	Thornhill	Kroy 676
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483—A. H. Harlton. 484—D. L. Barr. 485—W. E. Maltby. 496—C. C. White, W. J. J. Mackie. 497—K. G. Salmond. 502—W. L. Tennant. 508—C. F. Austin. 510—C. D. Searle. 511—B. D. Layne, T. W. Daniels. 512—F. F. Malone. 517—D. R. Hutchison. 518—W. T. Matkovich. 521—A. K. Closs. 523—A. W. Nelson Sr. 526—E. Sparks. 532—T. E. Riggs. 541—G. B. Walkey. 543—M. A. Hines. 549—T. E. Foster. 552—J. Lawson, J. R. Feldman. 554—Z. Bartok. 555—F. W. Sons, F. G. S. Brown. 562—K. A. Bohill. 565—T. Murphy. 577—G. C. G. Brittain. 578—P. Williams. 579—R. Jacobson. 580—E. Willis. 585—D. H. Campney, J. F. Brown. 590—R. M. Stewart. 591—R. H. Hamilton. 593—P. J. McGloine. 594—H. G. Barnard, R. J. Barnard, R. Lynas, T. Knowles. 597—B. F. Venuta. 599—W. D. Robb. 602—A. F. McIntyre. 606—F. Wakelin, F. Kerr, A. Coots, J. Hughes. 607—M. J. McLoughlin. 611—G. J. Cummings. 617—W. M. Hutul, J. W. Bolton, G. E. McArthur, R. P. Tennant. 622—J. T. Davis. 623—J. Clark. 625—W. S. Marshall. 636—N. C. Smith, A. H. Malcolm. 639—F. C. McLaren. 641—D. G. Kelly. 658—S. G. Pierson. 659—R. Hawke. 667—W. E. Nevin. 669—B. A. Shane. 670—T. M. Fitzpatrick. 674—W. C. Brood. 681—A. H. Ackerman. 706—L. F. Campbell.

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Date of Election	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Election
1855	W. M. Wilson	A. Bernard	R. Bull	J. Daniell	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	F. J. Lundy	T. B. Harris	1855
1856	W. M. Wilson	A. Bernard	J. H. Isaacson	C. Magill	W. Bellhouse	J. Osborne	St. Geo. Caulfield	T. B. Harris	1856
1857	W. M. Wilson	J. Scott	J. E. Smith	S. Ross	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	J. Tremayne	W. H. Miller	1857
1858	W. M. Wilson	T. G. Ridout	P. D. Brown	J. K. Brown	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	F. J. Lundy	R. Richardson	1858
1859	W. M. Wilson	T. D. Harrington	F. W. Barron	A. A. Stevenson	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	J. Scott	S. B. Harman	1859
1860	T. D. Harrington	W. B. Simpson	D. Gale	T. D. Warren	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	J. A. Preston	E. Heathfield	1860
1861	T. D. Harrington	W. B. Simpson	E. Heathfield	W. A. Osgood	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	J. A. Preston	E. Heathfield	1861
1862	T. D. Harrington	W. B. Simpson	R. Spence	J. Seymour	T. Mackie	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. Curtis, Jr.	1862
1863	T. D. Harrington	W. B. Simpson	F. W. Barron	B. C. Davy	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	J. V. Noel	1863
1864	W. B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	E. J. Sisson	J. Renshaw	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	C. H. Graham	1864
1865	W. B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	A. S. Kirkpatrick	M. Crombie	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	R. Irwin	1865
1866	W. M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	J. Kerr	I. H. Stearns	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	F. C. Draper	1866
1867	W. M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	I. H. Stearns	J. Turquand	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	A. Murray	1867
1868	A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	J. W. Murtion	S. Baker	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. Spry	1868
1869	A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	P. J. Brown	D. Thomas	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	H. Montgomery	S. B. Fairbanks	1869
1870	A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	T. White, Jr.	H. Robertson	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. McLellan	1870
1871	J. Seymour	T. White, Jr.	A. McLean	R. F. Stephens	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	C. Forest	J. B. Bickell	1871
1872	W. M. Wilson	T. White, Jr.	J. Bain	H. Merrill	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	E. Lounsbury	C. Bennett	1872
1873	W. M. Wilson	T. White, Jr.	B. E. Charlton	F. Mudge	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	J. Nettleton	1873
1874	W. M. Wilson	J. K. Kerr	W. R. White	H. Murray	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	D. M. Malloch	1874
1875	J. K. Kerr	W. H. Weller	G. S. Birrell	A. J. Cambie	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	J. G. Burns	1875
1876	J. K. Kerr	W. H. Weller	H. F. Sharp	E. Allworth	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	I. Waterman	1876
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1878	W. H. Weller	J. A. Henderson	B. Saunders	T. H. Tracy	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	C. W. Patterson	W. Lawson	1878
1879	J. A. Henderson	J. Moffatt	D. McLellan	J. Walsh	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. Gallagher	J. Greenfield	1879
1880	J. A. Henderson	J. Moffatt	J. Lovenden	H. Walker	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	W. Hay	R. L. Gunn	1880
1881	J. Moffatt	D. Spry	W. Hayden	W. A. Gunn	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	E. Davis	E. H. Long	1881
1882	D. Spry	H. Murray	J. R. Robertson	W. T. Bray	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	E. Davis	W. C. Wilkinson	1882
1883	D. Spry	H. Murray	E. Plant	J. S. Dewar	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	E. Davis	E. T. Malone	1883
1884	H. Murray	H. Robertson	G. R. Vanzant	W. A. Green	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. T. Wright	C. Martin	1884
1885	H. Robertson	R. L. Patterson	R. L. Patterson	W. Forbes	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	G. Crystal	F. C. Martin	1885
1886	H. Robertson	R. T. Walkem	J. E. D'Avignon	W. J. Simpson	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	H. W. Davies	J. Satchell	1886
1887	H. Robertson	R. T. Walkem	A. W. Porte	G. G. Rower	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	C. L. Worrell	G. J. Bennett	1887
1888	R. T. Walkem	J. R. Robertson	J. A. Wills	J. Beck	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	C. L. Worrell	H. A. McKelcan	1888

Date of Election	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Treasurer	Secretary	Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Election
1889	R. T. Walkem	J. R. Robertson	J. McLaughlan	M. Walsh	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	D. Armstrong	F. M. Morson	1889
1890	J. R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	J. Kinghorn	G. C. Davis	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	R. J. Craig	J. C. Boyd	1890
1891	J. R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	J. Sutherland	L. A. Maingy	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	C. Pettit	C. C. Robinson	1891
1892	J. M. Gibson	R. W. Barker	R. W. Barker	G. Inglis	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. H. Fairlie	F. J. Manley	1892
1893	J. M. Gibson	W. R. White	L. Second	F. Cook	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	L. A. Betts	R. J. Craig	1893
1894	W. R. White	W. R. White	T. Lester	A. E. Cooper	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. W. Hodgins	M. Gibbs	1894
1895	W. R. White	W. Gibson	B. Allen	J. B. Rankin	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	E. H. Musson	W. McKellar	1895
1896	W. Gibson	E. T. Malone	A. McGinnis	A. B. Greer	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	W. T. Wilkins	J. H. Hetherington	1896
1897	W. Gibson	E. T. Malone	S. F. Passmore	A. A. S. Ardagh	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	D. A. Bogart	A. Bishop	1897
1898	W. T. Malone	R. B. Hungerford	C. W. Postellwaite	H. Rush	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	H. S. Matthews	L. A. Congdon	1898
1899	E. T. Malone	R. B. Hungerford	H. P. Macdonnell	J. R. Stuart	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	R. Campbell	T. M. Davis	1899
1900	R. B. Hungerford	J. E. Harding	A. G. McWhinney	A. Gibson	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. C. Farthing	J. D. Clark	1900
1901	R. B. Hungerford	J. E. Harding	T. Clappison	A. E. Dymont	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	R. Von Pich	J. O'Hara	1901
1902	J. E. Harding	B. Allen	S. Buchanan	O. Elwood	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	W. L. Armitage	E. C. Davies	1902
1903	J. E. Harding	B. Allen	W. G. Eakins	R. V. Mathews	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	A. J. F. Cobb	C. F. Harris	1903
1904	B. Allen	J. H. Burritt	W. H. Harrison	J. D. H. Browne	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	H. L. Baynes Reid	L. K. Cameron	1904
1905	J. H. Burritt	A. T. Freed	F. J. Howell	H. T. White	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	F. E. Howitt	J. Lawson	1905
1906	J. H. Burritt	A. T. Freed	H. A. Taylor	A. K. Wanless	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	J. C. Williams	W. D. Tye	1906
1907	A. T. Freed	D. A. Macwatt	J. R. Reid	P. A. Somerville	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	C. H. Rich	R. W. Hull	1907
1908	A. T. Freed	D. A. Macwatt	E. E. Fraser	J. C. Bartram	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. C. Harper	D. Rutherford	1908
1909	A. Macwatt	A. White	T. Rowe	J. P. Rankin	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. E. Pitts	G. M. Gorrell	1909
1910	D. A. Macwatt	A. White	L. R. Terwilliger	R. H. R. Kenner	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. de La Rosa	H. T. Smith	1910
1911	A. White	W. D. McPherson	J. A. Grobb	T. G. Davis	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	S. A. Woods	N. Pettit	1911
1912	A. White	W. D. McPherson	N. Shaver	R. Miller	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. M. Kannawin	J. Dixon	1912
1913	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	H. W. Wilson	J. Boyd	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	D. Stewart	O. Carrs	1913
1914	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	S. D. Warren	J. Tanner	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. A. Woodside	R. J. Gibson	1914
1915	S. A. Luke	W. H. Wardrope	G. Moore	R. W. Clewlo	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. H. Snelgrove	T. Marshall	1915
1916	S. A. Luke	W. H. Wardrope	W. H. Line	J. G. Cane	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. H. Snelgrove	J. W. Hickson	1916
1917	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	W. O. Adams	G. W. Fluker	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. D. Byrnes	D. Parsell	1917
1918	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	F. M. Ailworth	W. H. Abbott	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. J. Andrew	B. Cairns	1918
1919	F. W. Harcourt	W. N. Ponton	T. Barber	M. Wilbie	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	G. H. Purchase	G. McLeish	1919
1920	F. W. Harcourt	W. N. Ponton	H. McKenzie	W. R. Madil	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	C. Piercy	R. W. Allen	1920
1921	W. N. Ponton	W. J. Drope	D. A. Esdale	W. P. McMaster	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	A. J. Bruce	A. J. Orr	1921
1922	W. N. Ponton	W. J. Drope	F. C. Perry	T. Forsyth	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	E. Sheppard	J. F. Mercer	1922
1923	W. J. Drope	J. A. Rowland	H. G. French	W. F. Montague	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	R. C. Blagrove	E. Smith	1923
1924	W. J. Drope	J. A. Rowland	A. J. Murray	N. P. Walsh	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	J. H. Kidd	L. Shriner	1924

Date of Election	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Election
1925	J. A. Rowland	J. S. Martin	W. Ostler	J. W. Wansbrough	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	R. J. M. Perkins	J. T. May	1925
1926	J. A. Rowland	J. S. Martin	A. Rome	A. M. Heron	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	A. L. Burch	J. J. Buchanan	1926
1927	J. S. Martin	R. B. Dargavel	G. Fairley	S. Kirk	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	P. N. Knight	H. W. Temple	1927
1928	J. S. Martin	R. B. Dargavel	J. W. Plewes	S. W. Seago	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	H. R. Young	D. McCaughin	1928
1929	R. B. Dargavel	W. S. Herrington	J. McCulloch	C. R. McKeown	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	C. A. Seager	F. A. Gibbons	1929
1930	R. B. Dargavel	W. S. Herrington	T. K. Wade	J. A. Robinson	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	C. W. Tebbis	J. A. Sharp	1930
1931	R. B. Dargavel	F. A. Copus	V. Williamson	H. L. Freeston	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	C. R. Spencer	H. Johnson	1931
1932	W. S. Herrington	F. A. Copus	W. H. Gimblet	A. Marshall	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	J. Lyons	C. D. Sucee	1932
1933	F. A. Copus	A. J. Anderson	A. E. Coombs	B. B. Hodge	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	S. E. Lambert	W. O. Matthews	1933
1934	F. A. Copus	A. J. Anderson	W. A. Drummond	B. B. Hodge	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	J. Morris	W. J. S. Graham	1934
1935	A. J. Anderson	W. J. Dunlop	S. Vila	G. E. French	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	M. Lee	S. Young	1935
1936	A. J. Anderson	W. J. Dunlop	G. S. Guthrie	S. J. Martin	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	R. C. McDermid	J. C. Ross	1936
1937	W. J. Dunlop	J. A. Dobbie	W. E. Gowing	J. A. Hearn	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	S. C. White	F. E. Silliant	1937
1938	W. J. Dunlop	J. A. Dobbie	W. T. Overend	J. A. M. Hay	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	S. L. W. Harton	J. A. Foucar	1938
1939	J. A. Dobbie	J. A. McRae	F. H. England	B. C. Beasley	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	Thos. Eakin	H. R. Boal	1939
1940	J. A. Dobbie	J. A. McRae	M. J. Kinnee	G. J. Hinton	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	G. F. Kingston	G. S. Warren	1940
1941	J. A. McRae	T. C. Wardley	W. H. C. McEachern	A. R. Graham	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	T. N. Lowe	G. A. Martin	1941
1942	J. A. McRae	T. C. Wardley	J. Rosie	D. F. Gibson	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	W. E. Kidd	J. Briggs	1942
1943	T. C. Wardley	C. S. Hamilton	*W. Y. Mills	E. A. Miller	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	J. E. Reid	G. W. Deegan	1943
1944	T. C. Wardley	C. S. Hamilton	A. L. Bennett	L. K. Redman	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	E. A. Thomson	C. A. Bailey	1944
1945	C. S. Hamilton	T. H. Simpson	A. E. MacGregor	A. M. Rollo	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	W. J. Johnston	C. B. Wilson	1945
1946	C. S. Hamilton	T. H. Simpson	G. F. Kingsmill	F. F. Clark	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	D. H. MacLennan	R. E. Mills	1946
1947	T. H. Simpson	J. P. Maher	J. H. Mitchell	F. A. R. McNair	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	W. L. Wright	A. E. Selwey	1947
1948	T. H. Simpson	J. P. Maher	C. J. Heinrich	B. E. Easton	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	Jas. Semple	J. H. Burnett	1948
1949	J. P. Maher	N. C. Hart	F. G. Connor	J. G. Dodd	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	C. E. Kenny	*C. W. Powers	1949
1950	J. P. Maher	N. C. Hart	W. D. Connor	B. A. Wilson	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	G. S. Scovell	A. D. Read	1950
1951	N. C. Hart	J. A. Hearn	L. A. Simpson	R. W. Richards	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	Morrison Sellar	H. B. Coxon	1951
1952	N. C. Hart	J. A. Hearn	E. N. Gregory	J. F. Heap	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	C. D. Donald	F. E. Mason	1952
1953	J. A. Hearn	W. L. Wright	J. W. McKnight	G. F. Guy	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	H. B. Neal	F. V. Tario	1953
1954	J. A. Hearn	W. L. Wright	R. M. Gunsolus	Hugh Tait	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	H. G. Glegghorn	J. Johnstone	1954
1955	J. A. Hearn	H. L. Martyn	M. C. Irvine	D. M. Fleming	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	J. M. Brownlie	J. C. Bailey	1955
1956	W. L. Wright	H. L. Martyn	J. A. Irvine	*A. E. Langman	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	D. M. Guest	H. R. Wellington	1956
1957	H. L. Martyn	C. M. Pitts	W. Smith	L. R. Chester	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	E. A. McCullagh	O. E. Keene	1957
1958	H. L. Martyn	C. M. Pitts	J. B. Ryan	J. N. Salter	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	R. S. Skinner	R. C. Woodley	1958
1959	C. M. Pitts	R. W. Treleven	E. L. James	J. B. Sainsbury	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	M. G. R. Williams	E. J. McKeever	1959

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1960	C. M. Pitts	R. W. Treleven	H. E. Wilson	J. R. Grant	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	R. G. Hazlewood	D. H. Townsend	1960
1961	R. W. Treleven	J. A. Irvine	G. C. Bennett	W. M. Prentice	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	A. J. Anderson	F. L. Barrett	1961
1962	R. W. Treleven	J. A. Irvine	A. P. Johnston	T. L. Wilson	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	J. B. Greegan	H. O. Polk	1962
1963	J. A. Irvine	J. N. Allan	L. J. Crooks	J. R. Dargavel	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	H. J. Snell	C. J. R. Ballantyne	1963
1964	J. A. Irvine	J. N. Allan	M. J. Damp	G. H. Gilmer	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	A. K. Campbell	W. Mogk	1964
1965	J. N. Allan	D. J. Gunn	W. D. Stevens	J. A. McCleave	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	S. E. Stevenson	G. K. Johnson	1965
1966	J. N. Allan	D. J. Gunn	F. H. G. Verral	T. C. Boon	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	E. E. Baskier	J. M. Burnett	1966
1967	D. J. Gunn	B. B. Foster	J. M. Ritchie	C. D. Mackenzie	J. A. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	G. F. Smith	W. H. Cheetham	1967
1968	D. J. Gunn	B. B. Foster	Herbert Murphy	G. B. Rickard	M. C. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	A. J. McLaughlin	J. A. Foster	1968
1969	B. B. Foster	W. K. Bailey	G. I. Davies	R. L. Burns	M. C. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	M. S. Jess	E. H. Guthrie	1969
1970	B. B. Foster	W. K. Bailey	James Speirs	K. L. Luther	M. C. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	J. E. G. Houghton	G. R. Bruce	1970

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*Henry T. Backus	Michigan	1857	P.G.M.
*Philip C. Tucker	Ireland	1857	P.G.M.
*Michael Furnell	Hamilton	1857	P.D.D.G.M.
*W. C. Stephens	Kentucky	1858	P.G.M.
*Robert Morris	Vermont	1858	P.D.G.M.
*T. D. Harington	Montreal	1858	P.G.M.
*Thos. G. Ridout	Toronto	1859	P.G.M.
*Aldis Bernard	Montreal	1860	P.G.M.
*Thomas Drummond		1862	P.G.J.W.
*John H. Graham	Richmond	1864	P.G.J.W.
*Jas. V. MacKey	Ireland	1867	P.G.S.W.
*Brackstone Baker	England	1868	P.G.S.W.
*Sir John A. Macdonald	Kingston	1868	P.G.S.W.
*John V. Ellis	New Brunswick	1869	P.G.S.W.
*Rev. C. P. Bliss	New Brunswick	1871	P.G. Chap.
*Wm. H. Fraser	Wisconsin	1873	P.G. Reg.
*H. A. MacKay	Hamilton	1873	P.G. Reg.
*Thos. White Jr.	Montreal	1874	P.G.M.
*J. A. Lockwood	New York	1882	P.G.S.W.
*Otto Klotz	Preston	1885	P.G.M.
*Geo. C. Patterson	Toronto	1897	P.G. Reg.
*T. R. Barton	Toronto	1897	P.G. Reg.
*J. J. Ramsay	Toronto	1897	P.G. Reg.
*Kivas Tully	Toronto	1897	P.G.M.
*W. A. Sutherland	New York	1900	P.G.M.
*J. J. Mason	Hamilton	1900	P.G.M.
*Chief Justice Gerald Fitz- Gibbon	Ireland	1900	P.G.S.W.
*R. L. Shriner	Toronto	1900	P.G. Reg.
*Alex. Patterson	Toronto	1901	P.G. Reg.
*H.R.H. Duke of Connaught	England	1902	P.G.M.
*Lord Ampthill	England	1919	P.G.M.
*Gerald Fitzgibbon, K.C.	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Rt. Hon. Lord Desborough, K.C.V.O.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Stanley Machin, J.P.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Jas. H. Stirling	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
*A. Cecil Powell	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
*John Dickens	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
*R. F. Richardson	Strathroy	1920	P.G. Reg.
*Sir George McLaren Brown	England	1921	P.G. Reg.
*Sir John Ferguson	England	1923	P.G.S.W.
*H. Hamilton-Wedderburn	England	1923	P.G.J.W.
*Arthur E. Carlyle	England	1923	P.G.J.W.
*Dudley H. Ferrell	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.M.
*Chas. H. Ramsay	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.S.W.
*Frank H. Hilton	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.J.W.
*A. Beitler	Pennsylvania	1923	P.G.M.
*S. W. Goodyear	Pennsylvania	1923	P.D.G.M.
*George Ross	Toronto	1925	P.G. Reg.
*Chas. B. Murray	Toronto	1925	P.G. Reg.
*Sir Alfred Robbins	England	1927	P.G.S.W.
*Earl of Stair	Scotland	1931	P.G.M.
*Lord Donoughmore	Ireland	1931	P.G.M.
*Viscount Galway	England	1931	P.G.S.W.
*Cannon F. J. C. Gillmor	England	1931	P.G. Chap.
*J. Bridges, Eustace	England	1931	P.G. Reg.
*Robt. J. Soddy	England	1933	P.G.S'd.
*Gen. Sir Francis Davies	England	1938	P.D.G.M.
*Canon Thomas T. Blockley	England	1938	P.G. Chap.
*Rt. Hon. Viscount de Vesci	England	1938	P.G.S.W.
*Major R. L. Loyd	England	1938	P.G. Reg.
*Raymond F. Brooke	Ireland	1938	P.D.G.M.
*Rt. Hon. Lord Farnham	Ireland	1938	P.G.S.W.
*Dr. W. E. Thrift	Ireland	1938	P.G.J.W.
*Gen. Sir Norman A. Orr-Ewing	Scotland	1938	P.G.M.
*T. G. Winning	Scotland	1938	P.G.J.W.
*Joseph E. Perry	Massachusetts	1938	P.G.M.

*Reginald Harris	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
Norman T. Ayard	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
*Sir E. H. Cooper	England	1940	P.G. Reg.
*Ernest B. Thompson	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
*James W. Hamilton	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
E. G. Dixon	Hamilton	1963	P.G.M.
Robert Strachan	Hamilton	1963	P.G.S.W.
Sir Edwin Leather	England	1966	P.G. Reg.

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Paraiba (Brazil)	Ary Silva Antunes	Paraiba
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Kentucky	Claude J. Tucker	Fordsville
Louisiana	Adam Mehn	New Orleans
Maine	Ralph J. Pollard	Waldoboro
Maryland	J. D. Hospelhorn	Baltimore
Massachusetts	Leonard Rawn	North Grafton
Michigan	W. Wallace Kent	Kalamazoo
Minnesota	D. E. Palmer	Minneapolis
Mississippi	Thomas Q. Ellis	Jackson
Missouri	Oliver L. Luft	St. Louis
Montana	E. J. Frost	Havre
Nebraska	Edward F. Carter	Lincoln
Nevada	James R. Brown	Reno
New Hampshire	P. R. Walker	Nashua
New Jersey	Adrian B. Hommell	Sussex
New Mexico	W. E. Cupp, Jr.	Albuquerque
New York	Foster J. Carey	Evans Mills
North Carolina	F. H. Trethewey	Charlotte
North Dakota	J. S. Ruliffson	Mapleton
Ohio	Robert D. Sager	Oregon
Oklahoma	H. S. Boulware	Oklahoma City
Oregon	Lawrence D. Brace	Portland
Rhode Island	A. W. Abramson	Warwick
South Carolina	W. Cecil Drowota	Charleston
South Dakota	Harold L. Tisher	Yankton
Tennessee	Charles L. Robertson	Taft
Texas	T. W. Bobo	Fort Stockton
Utah	Stephen J. Donoviel	Ogden
Vermont	W. S. Horn	Brandon
Virginia	Archer B. Gay	Richmond
Washington	Ford Q. Elvidge	Seattle
West Virginia	R. E. Prichard	Welch
Wisconsin	P. W. Grossenbach	Milwaukee

Other Countries

Argentina	Erwin T. Engel	Buenos Aires
Austria		
Bahia (Brazil)		
Belgium		
Chile	Wm. M. Phillips	Santiago
China	Hans C. P. Chun	Taipei

Colombia

Barranquilla.....	Alex. S. Hamilton	Barranquilla
Colombia Bogota.....	A. Carnicelli.....	Bogota
Colombia	W. R. Isaac	
Cartagena.....	Schuster S.....	Cartagena
Costa Rica.....	Miguel Yamuni.....	San José
Cuba.....	L. G. Patten	Camaguey
Denmark.....	Alfred Nyvang	Copenhagen
Ecuador.....	Bolivar Plaza N.....	Guyaquil
Finland.....	Jaakko Meriluoto	Jalkarannantie
France, Nationale.....	Jacques Berrier.....	Paris

Germany, United

Grand Lodges.....	Wilhelm Grupe	Hanover
Greece.....	P. Stephanopoulos	Athens
Guatemala.....	J. Humberto Ayestas	
	Sandoval.....	Guatemala

Iceland.....	Tomas Tomasson	
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Israel.....	Felix Klug.....	Haifa
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Japan.....	Norman Cohen	Tokyo
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Netherlands.....	H. A. K. Buisman	Groningen
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Norway.....	Carl Kruse-Jensen.....	Oslo
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Panama.....	Chas. Qvistgard	Colon
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Para (Brazil).....	Dr. Otto L. Hiltner.....	Belem
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Paraiba (Brazil).....	Odemar Gomes Nacre.....	Paraiba
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Peru.....	Manuel Zegarra.....	Lima
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Philippines.....	Elpidio Laiz	
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Puerto Rico.....	Isidro Diaz-Lopez.....	Ponce
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Southern Africa.....	J. M. Gobetz.....	Benoni
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Sweden.....	J. A. G. Adell.....	Jönköping
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Switzerland.....	René Ruegg.....	Zurich
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Venezuela.....	Miguel A. Tejeda R.....	Caracas
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York, Mexico.....	Alexander G. Wygard	Mexico City
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GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND LODGES NEAR THE GRAND LODGE OF CANADA

The United Kingdom

England	W. L. Wright	Sault Ste. Marie
Ireland	J. A. Irvine	London
Scotland	H. L. Martyn	Toronto

Dominion of Canada

Alberta	W. K. Bailey	Toronto
British Columbia		
Manitoba		
New Brunswick		
Nova Scotia	Harry Wallace	Oshawa
Prince Edward Is.	W. H. Mortlock	Hastings
Quebec	P. S. MacKenzie	Walkerton
Saskatchewan	J. T. Minaker	Toronto

Other Commonwealth Countries

India	Maurice A. Searle	Toronto
New South Wales	Walter T. Robb	Orangeville
New Zealand	D. S. Copus	Toronto
Queensland	Charles Fotheringham	Kitchener
South Australia	Walter H. Quinn	Scarborough
Tasmania	James Meek	Toronto
Victoria	W. M. Gordon	Toronto
Western Australia	B. C. McClelland	Toronto

United States of America

Alabama	G. J. McQueen	Dundas
Arizona	O. M. Newton	Trenton
Arkansas	Robert G. Truscott	Hamilton
California	J. N. Allan	Dunnville
Colorado	R. C. Fuller	London
Connecticut	C. C. Martin	St. Catharines
Delaware	M. C. Hooper	Toronto
Dist. of Columbia	D. W. Grierson	Toronto
Florida	H. V. Bartlett	Dunnville
Georgia	E. J. Langley	Cooksville
Idaho	J. B. Sainsbury	Sault Ste. Marie
Illinois	George E. Turner	Windsor
Indiana		

Kansas	Alan Broughton	Sault Ste. Marie
Kentucky		
Louisiana	R. E. Davies	Mount Forest
Maine	W. T. Overend	Toronto
Maryland	Stilson Swales	Watford
Massachusetts	D. J. Gunn	Toronto
Michigan	Harvey Linklater	Kincardine
Minnesota	Everon Flath	Toronto
Mississippi	W. H. Kipp	London
Missouri	C. E. Hough	Toronto
Montana	D. A. McInnis	Windsor
Nebraska	E. W. Nancekivell	Hamilton
Nevada	W. L. Sommerville	Dundas
New Hampshire	B. B. Foster	Ridgetown
New Jersey	H. I. Sparling	St. Marys
New Mexico	R. L. Elsie	Toronto
New York	G. F. Kingsmill	London
North Carolina	A. C. Ashforth	Toronto
North Dakota	J. J. Talman	London
Ohio	M. B. Dymond	Port Perry
Oklahoma	C. M. Rawson	Toronto
Oregon	F. D. Shannon	Barrie
Rhode Island	John O'Donovan	Ottawa
South Carolina	Ewart G. Dixon	Hamilton
South Dakota	Harry Jowett	Toronto
Tennessee	Ed. Balfour	Toronto
Texas	A. W. Baker	Beaverton
Utah	H. O. Polk	Ottawa
Vermont	W. J. Carnegie	Port Perry
Virginia	Birkett Lishman	Ottawa
Washington	B. S. Edmondson	Oshawa
West Virginia	W. D. Connor	Hamilton
Wisconsin	R. M. Gunsolus	Belleville

Other Countries

Argentina	T. N. Clarke	Kingston
Austria		
Bahia (Brazil)	Wellington Smith	Fort Frances
Belgium		
Chile	J. A. Foster	Fort Erie
China		
Colombia		
Barranquilla	T. H. W. Martin	Toronto
Colombia Bogota		

Colombia Cartagena	A. V. Chapman	Thunder Bay
Costa Rica	E. N. Gregory	Lindsay
Cuba		
Denmark	Neil MacEachern	Waterloo
Ecuador	A. M. George	London
Finland	G. J. Patterson	Hamilton
France, Nationale	T. L. Wilson	Oshawa
Germany, United		
Grand Lodges	N. R. Richards	Guelph
Greece	A. W. Bedwell	Hamilton
Guatemala	J. W. Bradley	Kirkland Lake
Iceland		
Israel	D. Lou Harris	Toronto
Japan	John Dodd	Toronto
Netherlands	G. E. French	Niagara Falls
Norway		
Panama	G. H. Vogan	St. Thomas
Para (Brazil)		
Paraiba (Brazil)		
Peru	H. H. Dymond	Richmond Hill
Philippines		
Puerto Rico		
Southern Africa		
Sweden	W. A. Stewart	Cooksville
Switzerland	W. S. Milmine	Stoney Creek
Venezuela	Robt. Strachan	Hamilton
York, Mexico	W. B. Cannon	Caledon East



REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

FOREWORD

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members
of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province
of Ontario:

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Chairman of this Committee for a number of years was M.W. Bro. R. W. Treleaven, whose sudden passing on January 14th last came as a shock to his many friends, both Masonic and in other activities in which he was engaged for many years, such as the judiciary of the province and the church of which he had been a faithful worker during his long life. The ranks of our Past Grand Masters, already thin, were further weakened by his death, and he will be greatly missed by his host of friends.

The M.W. the Grand Master requested me to prepare the report of this Committee which is really an introduction to the Fraternal Reviews, copies of which will be available at the noon hour adjournment of Grand Lodge on Wednesday, July 15th. As most of our brethren know, the task of reading the proceedings of the numerous Grand Lodges throughout the world which we recognize has been in the capable hands of R.W. Bro. Dr. J. J. Talman for a number of years, and we again express our sincere appreciation of his fine work.

The increasing costs of operating Masonic Homes is a cause of concern in a number of American jurisdictions. Indiana reports raising the per capita levy from \$4.00 to \$8.96 for the Home alone. Pennsylvania stated that the operation of their Masonic Homes required a budget of \$3,000,000.00 to cover expenses for one year. Further comments on this subject are found in other jurisdictions such as Texas, Oklahoma, Florida. Montana reports that the average age of residents of their Home is over 86, and that their infirmary is quite inadequate.

The decision made by our Grand Lodge many years ago not to build a Masonic Home has proven to be very sound. Our method, as you know, is to give assistance where needed in the area where the brother or his dependents have spent all or most of their lives. This view is strongly confirmed by Virginia, and I would commend to your attention the remarks on this important subject contained in the review of that Grand Lodge.

The writer of the Fraternal Reviews for the Grand Lodge of Maine is quoted at some length on a topic of general interest.

I have had the pleasure on a number of occasions to become acquainted with the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H. L. Chute. Both he and his wife are native born Canadians and were our guests at our 1969 Communication.

The Grand Master of New Zealand quoted from the address of one of his predecessors nearly fifty years ago and found that the admonition then given was as valid for the times in which we live as it had been almost half a century before. In a lighter vein are references to an old custom in that jurisdiction of wearing a white tie with a dinner jacket or lounge suit when attending lodge.

The Grand Master of Idaho's comments on a lack of communication between Grand Lodge and the constituent lodges are worthy of serious consideration in our own Grand Jurisdiction.

The increasing urbanization of many areas resulting in problems for rural lodges is dealt with in the proceedings of Kansas, Iowa and Missouri. I might point out that the other side of the coin—the problems resulting from our cities becoming ever larger and our population more cosmopolitan—were emphasized in my addresses to Grand Lodge in 1968-69 during my term as Grand Master. These problems require the sympathetic understanding of of all our brethren and consequently the consistent loyalty of every Mason to his own lodge.

Other items are worthy of comment, and I recommend a careful perusal of the reviews by all our lodges.

DONALD J. GUNN,
Acting Chairman.

Fraternal Correspondence and Reviews

ALABAMA — 1969

149th Annual Communication, November 18-19.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. H. E. Blackwell
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. J. Brannon

Lodges, 434. Membership, 74,126. Loss, 306.

Since the Grand Lodge is approaching its 150th Anniversary, a limited number of lodges are also reaching that distinction as they existed before the formation of the Grand Lodge.

The Lodges of Alabama contributed over \$16,000 to the Mississippi Hurricane Relief.

ALBERTA — 1969

64th Annual Communication — June 11-12.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. C. E. Pinnell
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. P. J. Kendal

Lodges, 182. Membership, 18,431. Loss, 183.

Early in the proceedings of the Grand Lodge, the Grand Master said that the most important item on the agenda was the revision of the Constitution. The Committee worked diligently on this for five years and gave ample notice of what was being proposed by sending several drafts to the constituent lodges. The Grand Lodge resolved itself into a committee of the whole, thus enabling the brethren to speak informally and, if necessary, twice on the same matter. The discussion continued for about an hour and a half. At the end of that time, on dissolution of the committee, a motion was put, and carried, that the earlier Constitution, with amendments, be repealed by the adoption of the new Constitution.

The Grand Master told of his visit to Yellowknife Lodge in November when 85 brethren from all parts of the Jurisdiction

accompanied him on a charter flight, and to Peace River Lodge when the temperature was 46 degrees below zero. Another northern trip took him to Fort McMurray to institute Fort McMurray Lodge, twenty miles from the great Canadian Oil Sands operations.

An original activity, not noticed hitherto, was the authorization of a charter flight by the Board of General Purposes. The Grand Secretary arranged one to Britain and 148 members or immediate relatives of members were carried.

The Higher Education Bursary Committee awarded 52 bursaries. The Chairman invited recipients attending the University of Alberta at Edmonton, 27 in number, to a dinner. Many supporters of the programme are making "In Memoriam" donations to the fund.

ARIZONA — 1969

87th Annual Communication — April 28-29.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. G. M. Reese
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. T. D. Henderson

Lodges, 65. Membership, 14,171. Gain, 226.

The Grand Lodge met in five Special Communications to constitute new lodges. Although Arizona is one of the few jurisdictions showing a gain in membership, the Grand Master pointed out that the growth did not keep pace with the increase in population.

The report on the Southwestern Masonic Conference showed that this gathering includes the five states: Arkansas, Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas. Most of the elective officers attended. Topics such as leadership, attendance and charity were discussed.

The Committee on Foreign Relations recommended that the names of Egypt and Czechoslovakia be removed from the list of recognized Grand Lodges.

The Scholarship Committee selected five sons or daughters of Masons to receive scholarships valued at \$400. They recommended that the amount be increased to \$500.

ARKANSAS — 1969

128th Annual Communication — November 18-19.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. R. B. Spencer, Jr.
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. A. Nelson

Lodges, 377. Membership, 52,007. Loss, 507.

The Jurisdiction suffered two severe losses during the year. M.W. Bro. L. L. McDaniel (P.G.M.), Grand Secretary for thirteen years, died on the day following his re-election at the Annual Communication. Midway through the year the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Spencer, died shortly after taking an important part in M.M., the degree being conferred in "the Gravel Pit" at Harrisburg.

To add to the tragic year one lodge building, Greenwood Lodge No. 131, was completely destroyed by a tornado along with all furnishings, equipment and records. The insurance was not sufficient to rebuild even a modest hall. The lodges of the Jurisdiction rallied and contributed almost \$9,000 towards the new building.

Another lodge, New Viola Lodge No. 741, lost its building in a fire. Again the lodges collected funds. At the time of the Annual Communication all monies were not yet in but several thousand dollars had already been collected.

Adversity did not prevent progress for the Grand Lodge met twelve times in Emergent Communication to dedicate new lodge temples or halls.

Nine lodges celebrated centennials, bringing the total of lodges more than a century old to 118.

BRITISH COLUMBIA — 1969

98th Annual Communication — June 19-20.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. Hogg
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. W. McRae

Lodges, 169.

Membership, 26,157.

Loss, 211.

The Grand Master by good fortune was able to be present at the centenary celebrations of all the lodges which were in existence at the founding of the Grand Lodge. The last of these seven Mother Lodges of the Grand Lodge was Mt. Hermon No. 7. The seal of the Grand Lodge bears the date 1871. Consequently that body is on the eve of its own centennial.

The Masonic Bulletin is being well received in the Jurisdiction. Numbers are going as far as the United Kingdom.

At the 1968 Annual Communication the publication of a history of the Grand Lodge to celebrate the centennial was authorized. A committee got to work and the project is well in hand.

Haida Lodge, No. 166, lent its furniture to the local arrangements committee for the Grand Lodge Communication. "Carved within the furniture is to be found one of the greatest Indian legendary stories of the Pacific Northwest." The Grand Historian prepared a historical sketch of the furniture for presentation at the communication.

A resolution was carried authorizing the incoming Grand Master to set up a committee "to bring before the next Annual Communication a definite plan for the establishment of a home or homes for the care of aged brethren, their wives or their widows."

CALIFORNIA — 1969

120th Annual Communication — October 13-17.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. R. A. Crigler

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. R. MacPhee

Lodges, 704. Membership, 236,870. Loss, 2,875.

The Masons of California gave unstintingly in support of their Masonic Homes. Contributions to the endowment funds were \$886,000, an increase of more than \$22,000 over the previous year's figure. The financial statement shows that the total endowment now stands at \$26,000,000. The residents, who total 315, are getting on in years. The average age of men is 82.8 and women 84. Children at the Covina home number 53.

The Committee on Masonic History expanded its studies on all of the Masonic buildings, past and present, in California and Hawaii. More and more lodges are sending in material on their past and present homes. All this material is being compiled into a complete history of the meeting places used by the Lodges of the Jurisdiction. The Committee is still getting calls for its slide lecture "Some came by land and some came by sea." This lecture depicts pioneer Masonry in California. The Committee is now expanding the collection of slides and dividing it into different locales.

The Grand Lodge has a Special Committee on Cemeteries. The duty of this group is to care for the three cemeteries owned by the Grand Lodge. They also inspect those public cemeteries which have set aside sections for the exclusive use of Masons or their families.

COLORADO — 1969

108th Annual Communication — January 28-29.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. S. A. Shafer

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. W. L. Gobin

Lodges, 170.

Membership, 44,716.

Loss, 649.

The Jurisdiction began the publication of "The Colorado Masonic Craftsman" on a subscription basis. Four issues were published during the year.

In order to show the respect of Masons for the Law, the Grand Master held a breakfast, during the Annual Communication, to which approximately one hundred law enforcement officers and officials from all over the State were invited, regardless of their Masonic affiliation, race, creed or colour.

The Grand Master recommended that a committee be appointed to study a system of Masonic education for Colorado. As he said:

"It is the opinion of many Masonic students that the future of Masonry rests, to a great extent, in the education of our newly-made members and that by following some program of planned education, we will be making a solid contribution to the future welfare of the Fraternity.

"A number of Grand Jurisdictions have in effect a system of education for new Members of the Craft. In essence these systems are designed to indoctrinate a candidate in the meaning, symbolism and philosophy of the several degrees and Masonry in general. The usual approach both before and after each degree is (1) to present the candidate with certain written instructional material, and (2) have him meet with a 'Lodge Education Committee' appointed for that purpose for instruction and discussion."

Among the dispensations granted were two granting permission to hold "open air" meetings at Graham Masonic Park and on the top of Mount Pisgah.

CONNECTICUT — 1969

181st Annual Communication — April 2-3.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. G. L. Smith

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. W. F. Booth

Lodges, 136.

Membership, 43,761.

Loss, 479.

Dual members of lodges, both in Connecticut, total only 456, the Grand Secretary reported. He also told of the continued

modernization of his office. The intention is to put all monthly returns from constituent lodges on computer. This is an ambitious programme for a total of 136 lodges.

Of thirty dispensations granted half related to interstate visitations between lodges; four New England States, New York, Virginia, and the Province of Ontario were involved. The Ontario dispensation authorized Friendship Lodge, No. 145, to meet with St. Georges Lodge, No. 15, St. Catharines.

The Jurisdiction operates a home and hospital through the Masonic Foundation of Connecticut. The hospital is now operated under the Medicare Programme and was the first such hospital to be accredited. In 1968 the Foundation launched a campaign to raise two million dollars from the Craft in Connecticut. They raised \$2,460,000.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA — 1968

158th Annual Report

Annual Communication — December 18, 1968.

Grand Master, 1968 — M.W. Bro. W. P. Jacobs

Grand Master, 1969 — M.W. Bro. M. D. Korman

Lodges, 48.

Membership, 18,515.

Loss, 659.

In his final report before his retirement the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. P. R. Mattix, (well-known in our Jurisdiction), commented on the decline in membership. He showed that the downward trend had continued for fifteen years. The death list of 614 was the greatest in the history of the Grand Lodge. The present membership is comparable with the 1921 figure. Improvement, to his mind, will not be possible, owing to the exodus of the population to the suburbs of Maryland and Virginia. He suggested a policy of permitting residents of Maryland and Virginia to petition for membership in District of Columbia lodges.

The Committee on Correspondence recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of the State of Goias, Brazil, and the Symbolic Grand Lodge of Paraguay. Masonry was founded in Paraguay in 1869. The Symbolic Lodge was legitimately constituted on May 13, 1923. The Scottish Rite ritual is used, although the York Rite is allowed where lodges wish to use it. The Grand Lodge consists of five lodges and is recognized by the Grand Lodges of England, Scotland, Ireland, and eight in the United States.

Memorial Lodge has been in operation for four years. The Lodge conducted seventeen funeral services, eleven in chapels and six graveside or committal services.

Under the Grand Lodge code, the Grand Master is required to visit each constituent lodge in the Jurisdiction during his year in office. These occasions were all successful.

Installation of the Grand Master takes place at the St. John's Day Communication. The incoming Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Milton Korman, in his speech of acceptance pointed out that in over a century and a half he was the first Grand Master of the Jewish faith.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA — 1969

159th Annual Report
Annual Communication — December 17.

Grand Master, 1969 — M.W. Bro. M. D. Korman
Grand Master, 1970 — M.W. Bro. H. K. Kingsbury

Lodges, 48. Membership, 17,816. Loss, 714.

Now and then it is possible to review two Proceedings of a Grand Lodge in one year owing to the vagaries of the mails. We have a case here where the review is being written only three days after receipt and only just in time to get to the press.

The Grand Lecturer told of a most successful year. All constituent lodges co-operated and enthusiastically supported the programmes. Eighty educational sessions were held.

The recommendation of the Committee on Correspondence that the National Grand Lodge of Iran be recognized was approved. Several other Grand Lodges, although sympathetic, postponed their decision during the year.

For a number of years the Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia has been invited to teach the lesson at Vaughan Bible Class of Calvary Baptist Church. The Grand Master, M. D. Korman, who as the previous review shows is of the Jewish faith was invited. He greatly enjoyed the experience and expressed the hope that the message he delivered was acceptable to the sizeable class. One can be sure that it was. M.W. Bro. Korman is well and favourably known in our Jurisdiction.

ENGLAND — 1969

Quarterly Communications — March 13, June 11,
September 10, December 10.

Annual Investiture — April 30.

Grand Master
M.W. Bro. H.R.H. The Duke of Kent, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., A.D.C.
Grand Secretary — R.W. Bro. James W. Stubbs, P.G.W.

The Board of General Purposes advised lodges to take steps for the permanent housing of Lodge records which have ceased to be of day-to-day use. The Board suggested that in order to ensure that future office holders or historians are aware of where the records have been deposited (e.g. the Lodge's Bankers), a comprehensive list should be placed in the current Minute book and transferred to its successor when its turn comes to be laid up in safe-keeping.

In these days of substitutes for leather they were bound eventually to enter the Masonic scene. The Board of General Purposes was asked whether it is in order for aprons made of plastic rather than lamb skin to be worn. The Board, after consideration of the matter, stated that this is something which must be left to the individual Mason, for him to decide whether, for the saving of a few shillings, he is prepared to depart from a practice which has existed throughout the history of the United Grand Lodge, and to a great extent throughout the whole period of speculative Masonry.

The Board was not prepared to issue a prohibition which it would be virtually impossible to enforce, but reminded both members and manufacturers that Rule 265 of the Book of Constitution refers to lamb skin and not to any substitute therefor.

The Trustees of the 250th Anniversary Fund, in their first report, revealed that contributions had reached over £560,000. It is estimated that it will produce something over £30,000 per year. The income, it will be recalled, is devoted to supporting the work of the Royal College of Surgeons.

The Grand Lodge Library and Museum have been greatly improved during the past three years. Effort has been mainly directed toward the improvement of the Museum. Owing to pressure on space automatic acceptance of gifts is no longer the rule. The report said:

"There is, to-day, a national awakening on the purpose and place of museums in society with ideals in conservation and presentation, which should be informed and attractive. Such can apply equally to private institutions and the attainment of similar aims and ideals has been uppermost in administering the Grand Lodge Museum in recent years."

The September Quarterly Communication was saddened by the death of M.W. Bro. The Earl of Scarbrough, the distinguished soldier, parliamentarian, and statesman, whose life was of immense influence in Masonry throughout the world for half a century. He served as Grand Master for sixteen years, from 1951 to 1967.

In his address at the Annual Investiture the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H.R.H. The Duke of Kent, gave some advice to the newly invested officers which is generally appropriate.

"I wish, however, to address a few remarks particularly to those who have been invested today for the first time: although you have all been numbered among the rulers of the Craft already, some, indeed, for many years, your appointment to Grand Rank singles you out as Brethren of very real influence and authority: as to authority, the junior Brethren will listen to you and follow you right or wrong—so it is very important that you should be right: as to influence, it will in many cases lie with you to make a happy and successful Lodge. One thing in particular I would ask you to remember—we are all of us getting older and it is vitally important that you should not overlook the training of the next generation. One of the most difficult decisions to make is when to hand over the reins of office to a younger man, but I am certain you will see to it that there is never a lack of fit and qualified successors, whether in ceremonial, administration or instruction."

FLORIDA — 1969

104th Annual Communication — April 22-24.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. C. L. McLaren

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. E. Webb

Lodges, 312.

Membership, 76,199.

Gain, 817.

The Grand Master, 1968-69, M.W. Bro. Clyde S. McLaren, was born in Illinois of Scottish parents who migrated to Illinois in 1910. He was educated in law in Detroit and went to Florida in 1943.

In his address he told that the Masonic Home had had a perplexing year owing to the steady increase in the age of residents and the consequent increase in the pressure on the infirmary, which is inadequate.

The Grand Master also recommended that the incoming Grand Master continue a study of Grand Lodge finances. The rise in cost of operation will probably require an increase in the per capita tax.

The Grand Lodge laid thirteen cornerstones. Five were for lodge buildings. The remainder included Ft. Lauderdale City Hall, a public library, some schools, and Sugarloaf Fire Station, Sugarloaf Key.

The Committee on the Work were asked for information about conferring degrees by courtesy on a candidate who could not speak English. The answer was that degrees cannot be conferred upon anyone who cannot speak and understand the English language, except that the Spanish speaking lodges may confer degrees upon Spanish speaking candidates.

The Grand Lodge Museum received a gift of uncommon interest.

"Brother Wally Schirra, Canaveral Lodge 339, astronaut on the first manned Apollo spacecraft around the earth for 10.8 days, presented a Flag to the Grand Master for the Grand Lodge Museum, which Brother Schirra had flown on the flight of the Apollo 7."

In return the Grand Master presented Bro. Schirra "with a necktie made of the tartan of the McLaren Clan."

FRANCE — 1969

General Assembly — December 6.

Grand Master — M.W. Bro. E. Van Hecke

Lodges, 91.

Membership, 4,063.

Loss, 233.

Although our Grand Lodge is in communication with the Grand Lodges of Denmark, Iceland, Norway, and Sweden, we do not review their Proceedings. The language problem undoubtedly is a sufficient deterrent. We are indebted, therefore, to L'Orient de Neuilly, the official organ of the French National Grand Lodge, which appears in English, for a detailed account of Freemasonry in Scandinavian countries, which is brief enough to include here in full.

"Masonry is first recorded in Norway in 1749 when the first Lodge was formed in Christiania, now Oslo, but its activity was not continuous during the early period, and there were several breaks during the years 1749-1816.

"The ritual in use in Norway is the Swedish, which is practised throughout Sweden, Norway, Iceland and, to a great extent in Denmark, and Lodges in Norway have practised Regular Freemasonry without interruption since 1816 with the exception of 1940-45 during the German occupation when all Masonic activity was suppressed.

"After the resumption of active working in 1816, the Norwegian Lodge 'St. Olaus of the White Leopard' decided to discontinue work in connection with the Danish Lodges, and joined the Grand Lodge of Sweden. It must be remembered that there was union between Norway and the Kingdom of Sweden dating from 1814 which endured until June 7th, 1905. The King of Sweden who was Grand Master of Sweden resolved, following a petition from a majority of the Brethren of the Lodge 'St. Olaus of the White Leopard' that this Lodge should be placed under the jurisdiction of the Swedish Grand Lodge.

"In consequence of this, the Swedish system of Freemasonry was adopted. It is interesting to note that this system goes far beyond our Craft Degrees and contains eleven degrees.

"The above-mentioned Lodge 'St. Olaus' remained the only Norwegian Lodge until 1836. Progress was gradual, and in 1870 a Provincial Grand Lodge of Norway was established, authorised to govern all Lodges in the Kingdom of Norway but still subject to the Grand Lodge of Sweden, but in 1891 a measure of independence was obtained when the Grand Lodge of Norway was established. The King, Bro. Oscar II, took over the office of Grand Master of the Norwegian Grand Lodge. The King was of course King of Sweden, as the union between Norway and Sweden still existed, but when this union was discontinued in 1905, the King Oscar II relinquished his office of Grand Master of Norway with every wish for the prosperity of Freemasonry in Norway.

"Thus it will be noted that Freemasonry was completely independent in Norway as from 1905. It is interesting to observe that in the Grand Lodge of Norway, the M.W. Grand Master is elected for his lifetime.

"The Grand Lodge of Norway, according to its Year Book for 1969-1970 numbers 15,500 members in 1960. Twenty-six 'blue' Lodges are working in Norway in addition to 'St. André Lodges' and the higher Degrees. The Present Grand Master is M.W. Bro. Bernhard Cathrinus Paus, elected on 19 May 1969 and installed on 17th June 1969."

To come now to France. The Grand Master spoke of the problem of lodge premises in the provinces but was able to tell of some significant developments.

"Our Lodges at Rouen have a Lodge room. Thanks to the assistance of our Lodges in Eastern France, we have been able to construct a Temple at Metz. With the contribution of our American Brethren a Temple was erected at Fontainebleau. Finally, a Temple has just been completed at Orleans, and we are in the course of discussions for a construction at Laval, for which a sum of Francs 35,000 has been set aside."

The building in Paris houses 47 lodges, of which most meet twice a month, as well as the administrative offices, committee rooms, six chapters, and a library.

During the year, the Permanent Administrative Committee authorized the creation of four new lodges in the provinces. A description of their work is not uninteresting.

"La Régularité Mansoise", No 135, consecrated at Vouvray, 9th February 1969, working in Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite;

"Picardie" No 136, consecrated at Cugny, near Saint-Quentin, 8th June 1969, working in Scottish Rectified Rite;

"Solsequia" No 137, consecrated at Annemasse, 12th June 1969, working in Scottish Rectified Rite.

"Saint-Jean l'Ancienne", No 138, consecrated 22nd November 1969 at Toulouse, working in Emulation.

IDAHO — 1969

102nd Annual Communication — September 16-18.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. A. W. Bomert

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. R. C. Walker

Lodges, 85.

Membership, 13,686.

Loss, 221.

The Grand Master made several recommendations, among which was one to shorten the time of the Annual Communication. He then concluded:

"It is believed one of the shortcomings of our organization is lack of communication. You delegates attend this Grand Communication and when you arrive home, these recommendations may or may not be discussed within your respective Lodges. If they are discussed, in most cases there is no action taken to consider them further. Action on the part of you delegates and members of our Jurisdiction is important. You are the Grand Lodge and must take the necessary action. Otherwise if the Grand Master introduces resolutions of his own or other Grand Lodge Officers do the same, then we hear the common complaint that the Grand Lodge Officers are running Grand Lodge.

"To transmit from generation to generation the pure principles of our Fraternity is a duty incumbent upon all Masons. You will note that all the recommendations made pertain to the administration of his Grand Lodge and in no way affect the esoteric work. In considering these recommendations, remember the advice of a wise old sage, 'There is no greater force than an idea whose time has arrived.'

"The success of our Fraternity will require continued work on the part of many more of our Brethren than are presently involved. Our road is by no means one of ease or indifference. We must meet the challenge of this day and tomorrow. You are all aware of the fast changing world, and the effect of changes on our society and lodges."

ILLINOIS — 1969

130th Annual Communication — October 10-11.

Grand Master, 1967-69 — M.W. Bro. W. L. Mason

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. H. Lang

Lodges, 835.

Membership, 199,889.

Loss, 4,920.

Although the Jurisdiction suffered a severe loss in total membership the "Occasional Grand Lodges" held indicate a great deal of activity in various lodges. No fewer than six new temples were dedicated. One was the new hall of the Central Masonic Temple Association, 5352 W. Chicago Ave., Chicago.

The list of members of the Grand Lodge Masonic Speakers Bureau was updated and the list was sent to the three principal officers in each lodge, by the Committee on Masonic Education, urging them to make use of the talented and dedicated Masons listed.

The Board of Managers of the Illinois Masonic Children's Home presented their 84th Annual Report. The residents total 21. The home admits sons or daughters of deceased Masons in the Jurisdiction.

The Illinois Masonic Home takes care of a daily average of 279 elderly persons. The average age is slightly over 80. As is the experience in other homes of this kind, infirmity accommodation is inadequate. The total endowment of the homes now stands at \$7,500,000. The year saw \$694,000 added to the endowment.

The R.W. Grand Orator, Alphonse Cerza completed his term of office with a talk on "Our Masonic Heritage" which revealed much knowledge and thought and equalled the one he gave in 1968. It was much too closely knit and integrated to permit the selection of any paragraph to serve as an illustration.

INDIA — 1969

Grand Festival — January 10.
Regular Communication — July 26.

Grand Master, 1961-69 — M.W. Bro. Bhogilal C. Shah
Grand Master, 1969-72 — M.W. Bro. M. S. Thacker

Lodges, 188. Membership, 9,476. Gain, 468.

The Book of Constitution provides that the term of office of the Grand Master shall be three years. M.W. Bro. Thacker succeeded M.W. Bro. Shah who had been Grand Master since the inception of the Grand Lodge in 1961. The new Grand Master is an electrical engineer, educated at Ahmedabad and Bristol (U.K.) He is Secretary to the Government of India and a member of the Planning Commission.

Five warrants for new lodges were issued during the year. Lodge Manockjee Cursetjee was launched by no fewer than 217

petitioners—a record surely. The Grand Lodge considers a lodge with 40 members to be strong and is not disturbed over memberships of 30. There are, unfortunately, eight lodges with fewer than 19 members which are causing some concern.

INDIANA — 1969

152nd Annual Communication — May 20-21.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. R. M. Seibel

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. R. P. Joyce

Lodges, 553. Membership, 174,155. Loss, 1,808.

The severe loss in membership experienced for the year followed a trend which has existed since 1963. The Grand Master pointed out, however, that the excessive net losses occurred in the larger and older lodges situated in cities and metropolitan areas. By contrast, the smaller and younger lodges and those working in towns and suburban communities have done well. Their decreases, if any, have been nominal.

The Indiana Masonic Home is facing critical financial difficulties. Consequently the per capita levy was increased from \$4.00 per dues paying member per year to \$8.96. Homes of this type are becoming extremely expensive to operate. The cost of operation for the year was something over \$2,000,000. Since the home houses approximately 430 persons the per capita cost is between four and five thousand dollars per year.

The feasts of the Saints John seem to be rising in prominence in the Fraternity. More than one Grand Master referred to them during the year under review. The Grand Master of Indiana stated:

“The celebration of these feasts by Masons predate the organization of the Mother Grand Lodge in 1717.

“In that our usages restrict attending meetings as a body, we should seize every opportunity to display our tenets to the world at large. Attending church services on the Feast of St. John the Baptist affords such an opportunity.

“The Feast of St. John the Evangelist may be observed in a variety of ways. Although the requirements for holding a Table Lodge have been made strict, this does not mean that a Lodge can not hold its own Feast of Love. It has been a tradition in my own Lodge as well as many others to have an oyster stew in observance of the event. It is my hope that local tradition will not be destroyed.”

The Grand Master exercised one of the prerogatives of his office by setting up a Grand Lodge Historical Commission, actually a continuation of the Sesquicentennial Commission, "to place continuous emphasis on our Hoosier Masonic heritage." In 1976 the United States will observe the two hundredth anniversary of American independence and the Grand Master believes "that Freemasonry should be included in that nation-wide observance."

The study of state-wide concurrent jurisdiction was continued for another year. The feeling of the committee tended to support the proposal.

IOWA — 1969

124th Annual Communication — September 17-18.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. E. A. Hamilton

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. Phelps

Lodges, 530.

Membership, 83,728.

Loss, 1,453.

The laying of several cornerstones and dedications of new temples bear testimony to the fact that Freemasonry is still alive and making progress in Iowa. As the Grand Master said: "The spirit of Freemasonry is strong in all parts of the State; it is only that in some localities there are more Masons than in others." Lodges in small communities are suffering from the movement of inhabitants to larger centres. "Some of the small towns are almost deserted."

The Grand Master told of a well-attended outdoor meeting. A "beautiful grassy hollow in the timber near Amana was the setting." The lodge opened at 4 p.m. "on the third degree," and the first section was conferred. After a barbecue dinner, labour was resumed at 7 p.m. and the second section was conferred. Over 300 attended this meeting.

The Grand Lodge History, authorized in 1965, is almost all in print. After distribution to lodges there will be 400 copies available at \$3.00 each.

IRELAND — 1969

Annual Report and the Report of the Grand Secretary.

Grand Master — M.W. Bro. The Rt. Hon. the Earl
of Donoughmore

During the year several Provinces celebrated their centenaries by church services, dinners or both. As the Provincial Grand Master of South Connaught remarked:

"The Centenary celebrations demonstrated in no uncertain manner that the high tradition of the past is being well maintained by the Brethren of today and would seem to be a sure indication of a continued high plane of endeavour throughout the Province in the years which lie ahead."

The Provincial Grand Lodge of Munster has purchased the "fee simple" of their premises in Cork, for many years held under lease. The Order now has a permanent home of its own. In addition the Grand Lodge has carried out extensive improvements in the building. A new and adequate dining room has been added.

The most outstanding event of the year in this province was the Masonic Service of Praise and Thanksgiving for the support given by the Brethren of the Province towards the building of the new Science Block at the Boys' School.

V.W. Bro. His Grace the Most Rev. James McCann, D.D., then Primate of All Ireland, gave a most inspiring and encouraging sermon, and incidentally set a wonderful example in helping others, by driving from Armagh and back (500 miles) in the day, no mean feat in Ireland. Such activities suggest that Masonry is alive and well in the south of Eire.

The Provincial Grand Lodge of South Africa, Northern, reported that in partnership with sister constitutions, i.e. the Scottish Constitution, the Grand Lodge of Southern Africa, and the Provincial Grand Lodge in Transvaal, they have a scheme to erect a Masonic Temple. Ground was bought twelve years ago. However, owing to the rapid growth of Johannesburg and the increasing parking problems, it may be necessary to buy a larger site beyond the city.

The effect of political change in Africa is revealed in the report of the Grand Inspector, Zambia.

"As you are well aware, conditions in Zambia, since Independence, have not only changed the outlook of our life here in Africa but it has also had its effects on Freemasonry in general. Our Irish Lodges, in conjunction with our Sister Constitutions, have all suffered a great number of departures of Brethren, thus reducing the working strength of a number of Lodges, some, barely able to continue without the support of visitors. I'm happy to say, that I think we have reached a level whereby those that now leave or resign are replaced by new entrants and we are quite fortunate in being able to continue with Irish Freemasonry in Zambia. Unfortunately, a great number of Past Masters and the older mason have left the country, this naturally puts a strain on the Master and Secretary of Lodges, for it is the experience and wisdom of the older mason that a Lodge and especially the new Initiate, gains their knowledge in Masonic affairs.

"I am happy to report, that although our Lodges have all lost a number of Brethren, we are steadfastly pursuing in the furtherment of Irish Freemasonry."

He showed some of the advantages of having several constitutions in the country.

"We are very fortunate here in Zambia, in having the three Constitutions, Irish, English and Scottish all working in harmony with each other; to be able to visit the different Constitutions and compare the workings. This gives us a very much broader view of Freemasonry than an Irish Freemason in Ireland can find by visiting only Irish Lodges. Naturally this also applies to the English and Scottish Freemason. Whenever possible, I advise the new Master Mason to visit the various Constitutions as often as possible, thereby gaining experience and a working knowledge of Freemasonry as practiced all over the world. Not only do they thus benefit in the Masonic knowledge, but also in making new friends in the various Lodges."

ISRAEL — 1969

Annual Communication — November 28, 1968.

Three Quarterly Communications — January 28, April 30, July 29.

Grand Master, 1967-68 — M.W. Bro. Shalom Kassan

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. Menham Talmon

Lodges, 55.

The retiring Grand Master reported at the Installation of his successor on November 28, 1968, that four new lodges were founded. One, "Alumim" Lodge in Tel-Aviv was meant especially for brethren under the age of twenty-five. The Grand Lodge published a revised edition of the Grand Lodge Constitution, thus enabling lodges to adhere to the rule which stipulates that each lodge must be in possession of an up-to-date Constitution.

An unusual provision found in the Constitution is that every lodge member must belong to the "Mutual Insurance Fund." All lodges have to collect the premiums and transmit them to Grand Lodge.

In April, 1969, Freemasons from all over the world gathered in Jerusalem to erect and consecrate the Supreme Grand Royal Arch Chapter of the State of Israel. The reporter on this occasion gave a brief account of the history of the Grand Lodge of Israel. Freemasonry has been active in the Holy Land for many years. In 1932 a National Grand Lodge of Palestine was established and in 1953 an autonomous Grand Lodge of the State of Israel was erected and consecrated by the Grand Master Mason of Scotland.

The first Chapter meeting was held in King Solomon's Quarries under the old walled city of Jerusalem. In the tavern were some 250 Mark Master Masons. Even those without a knowledge of Hebrew were able to follow the ceremony closely.

JAPAN — 1969

12th Annual Communication — March 14-15.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. C. O. Neilson
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. F. J. Robertson

Lodges, 20. Membership, 4,541. Gain, 61.

After the usual preliminaries the Guest Speaker addresses the Annual Communication. The privilege is traditionally granted to the Immediate Past Grand Master. The speaker on this occasion was M.W. Bro. Masaji Matsumoto (P.G.M. 1967). He told something of the beginnings of the Grand Lodge.

"Following the last World War, our late Illustrious Brother and General Douglas MacArthur, recognizing the interest of foreign Masons in spreading Masonry in Japan and believing that Freemasonry might be an instrument to promote brotherly love as well as to foster international goodwill, negotiated with the Japanese Government to permit Japanese citizens to petition and receive the degrees of the Order, a privilege long denied them by National Law. The successful effort of our distinguished leader will never be forgotten by Masons, by Japanese Brethren in particular. A few years following the opening of Freemasonry's door to the Japanese, the Grand Lodge of Japan was formed."

The Committee on Temples presented at the Annual Communication a "Temple History Book containing pictures of nearly all the Constituent Lodge buildings and a brief summary about each Lodge or outstanding projects."

The reports of all committees reveal industry and enthusiasm.

KANSAS — 1969

113th Annual Communication — March 12-13.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. T. C. Raum
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. C. Arnett

Lodges, 421. Membership, 88,822. Loss, 1,585.

Six lodges celebrated their centenaries and the Grand Master attended all the special meetings involved. In each instance a fine programme was arranged.

The year saw a continuing trend toward consolidation of lodges in the smaller communities and rural areas. The changes are necessitated by the shift in population to urban centres. Twelve lodges were consolidated as six.

The Grand Secretary gave an oral report of the centennial marker that had been placed in "Old Castle", Kansas's oldest college classroom building, located on the campus of Baker University at Baldwin, Kansas. The third floor of the building was designated as an historic lodge and was to be equipped as an early lodge room. Baker University wanted to know if the Grand Lodge was prepared to proceed with the financing of this project.

After considerable discussion, it was moved and carried that the matter be referred to the Committee on Temple Building and Remodeling.

KENTUCKY — 1969

169th Annual Communication — October 21-23.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. W. Chandler

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. M. Curtis

Lodges, 472. Membership, 99,720. Loss, 269.

The Grand Master devoted much of his address to the subject of the two homes operated by the Grand Lodge: The Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home and Infirmary and the Old Masons' Home. Since 1887 a body named The Saint John's Day League has been an indispensable source of financial support to the homes. The League is made up of a dedicated group of Masons of Louisville and Jefferson County, who undertake, from time to time, projects involving capital improvements. The first home had a population of 201 widows and 28 children. Of this number 97 widows were in hospital. The second had 101 residents of whom 68 were in hospital. These figures reflect the problems related to all Masonic old peoples' homes.

The Grand Master gave several opinions during his term of office. He stated that the use of a tape recorder in a lodge was a violation of regulations and that dancing in a lodge hall was a matter entirely for the lodge concerned to decide. He also recommended that "The officers of a lodge may be installed in public without a dispensation from the Grand Master."

LOUISIANA — 1969

158th Annual Communication — February 3-4.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. D. S. Hartman

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. T. S. Strickland

Lodges, 285. Membership, 50,818. Loss, 284.

During the year the Grand Master visited lodges in every area of the State and found this cross section of Masonry in a

very healthy condition. He found an increasing enthusiasm and "a desire to apply the principles of Masonry." He was particularly impressed with the increased attendance at the district meetings.

Many changes and improvements have been made in the Masonic Temple Building. A number of the lodge rooms have been remodelled and refurbished. The building has all the requirements of a first-class office building.

In 1967 the Grand Lodge authorized the making of a TV tape giving some of the history, highlights, philosophy, philanthropy, and ideals of Masonry in Louisiana. This was completed in 1968. It was shown over a local TV station in Alexandria and ran for thirty minutes. This project does seem to have been carrying publicity to great lengths.

One dispensation granted authorized the formation of a new lodge named "Dominique You." The Lodge was chartered on February 3, 1969, and since some of the officers were named Nunez, Asavedo, Guerra, Gonzales and Perez, it may be assumed that this is a Spanish speaking lodge. One could wish that some explanation of the name had been given.

Five open air meetings to confer degrees were authorized.

MAINE — 1969

150th Annual Communication — May 6-7.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. M. D. Gardner

Grand Master, 1968-70 — M.W. Bro. H. L. Chute

Lodges, 219.

Membership, 45,254.

Loss, 418.

The Grand Master appointed a long range special planning committee. One of its tasks will be to draw together recommendations of Past Grand Masters which have been overlooked.

The writer of the Fraternal Reviews, in Maine, called "Report of Correspondence," M.W. Bro. Ralph J. Pollard (often quoted in our Reviews) devoted his foreword to the confused thinking which grew from news reports that the Roman Catholic Church had relaxed, or was about to relax, its traditional ban on Masonic membership by its communicants. He told how promptly a formal statement denying the report had appeared. He described the position of the Roman Catholic most sympathetically. This is such a clear statement that it may well be repeated here.

"While we can neither forget nor forgive the false and malicious charges which the Roman Catholic Church has made against our Fraternity or the cruel and ruthless persecution which Freemasonry has suffered at its hands, we must always remember that

this Church has a perfect right to prohibit Masonic membership by its communicants if it so desires, and must also, in fairness, admit that there are certain valid reasons for such a prohibition. Modern speculative Freemasonry developed in Scotland and England—two strongly Protestant countries, Protestant clergymen played a leading part in its development, and its moral and spiritual teachings naturally reflect this Protestant background. In Freemasonry, a Roman Catholic member would inevitably come in contact with ideas which are not those of his own Faith, would be taught to tolerate and to respect the religious beliefs of others, would find himself in fraternal association with members and even clergymen of religious denominations regarded by his own Church as heretical, would discover that Freemasons often hold views on many public issues which are not the views held by Rome, and would be required to assume an obligation of secrecy which would be in conflict with the discipline of his Church. This being so, it is easy to understand why this prohibition was originally imposed, and why the Roman Church, to protect its members from contact with heretics and heresy, feels that this prohibition must be continued. We do not question or resent this decision. Freemasonry does not exclude Roman Catholics, as such, from membership, but neither does it attempt to recruit members from that denomination nor to turn any man away from the teachings of his own hereditary Church. If any Roman Catholic does come to us he must do so of his own free will and accord, without the slightest solicitation on our part, with a full knowledge that such a membership is prohibited by his Church, and with his eyes fully open as to the inevitable consequences of his action."

M.W. Bro. Pollard also had almost completed his history of the Grand Lodge of Maine to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of the Grand Lodge, which was constituted on June 16, 1820. A suitable commemoration is being planned.

MANITOBA — 1969

94th Annual Communication — June 4-5.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. W. J. Witherspoon
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. J. M. Lyons

Lodges, 121.

Membership, 14,831.

Loss, 273.

The most significant event of the year was the laying of the cornerstone of the Masonic Memorial Temple in Winnipeg on May 15, 1969. The new building is to replace the one at the corner of Donald Street and Ellice Avenue. The cornerstone for this building was laid in 1895. It served the Craft well for more than 73 years.

The new building is on a prominent location, not hidden away on a side street. The Building Committee gave a detailed description at the Annual Communication.

"It is a one storey building of concrete walls and concrete ground floor, masonry walls of brick, with a large unfinished basement. It will provide an area a good third of this hall in size where, in the future, we will be able to put in utility and storage rooms and even useful meeting rooms. In addition to that we have a large mechanical room where we have complete heating and air conditioning installation and this is directly below what, on the ground floor will become the kitchen. On the main floor when you enter the front door you will find a very spacious foyer all carpeted and where, on one side will be three Lodge rooms. These rooms seat respectively 165, 76 and 56 members. They are laid out this way to accommodate the various sizes of Lodges which we expect to meet in the building. The lodge rooms likewise are all carpeted, all with new furniture and all included in the contract, this is not something extra that we are going to buy later. There are adequate washroom facilities adjacent to the various lodge rooms, and cloak rooms of sufficient size to take care of the maximum capacities, so if you attend this building you will find it most convenient. In addition, there are complete storage rooms and a mezzanine level over the washroom areas where each lodge can store its various regalia and records with easy access to set up a lodge room. In other words, convenience has been built into the building—it has been arranged also, that one man can control this building—one man stationed in the foyer can control the entry and exit of everyone in that building and we feel this should be a real economy when we start to operate the building. The brick walls are of the same texture on the inside as on the outside, so if you sit in the lodge room you would see masonry walls, we are going to have a face brick exposed, which fits into Masonry, it fits into a good deal of the mythology which is connected with our Craft and we think it will be a very satisfactory type of wall. The Grand Lodge area is at the front of the building where there is easy access to the street and to the parking area. It has a large library and reading area, it is spacious, practical and laid out with proper offices for the various departments of Grand Lodge. There is a Board Room for the Grand Lodge Board of General Purposes which will seat 50 people; there are three dining rooms on the same floor as the Lodge rooms and just across the foyer from them. The smallest dining room has a permanent wall dividing it from the other two and these two can be divided by a folding wall, or with the wall folded back out of the way the area would then seat 350 for dinner without crowding. The kitchen is on the same floor and all dining areas can be served without disturbing each other."

MARYLAND — 1968

Semi-Annual Communication — May 21.
182nd Annual Communication — November 19-20.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. W. N. Penn.
Grand Master, 1968-70 — M.W. Bro. W. B. Stansbury, Jr.

Lodges, 129. Membership, 47,397. Loss, 28.

The loss for the year was only 28, the lowest in many years. The figure possibly reflects the shift of population referred to in the review for the District of Columbia. Several lodges increased their initiation fees and dues. Two lodge buildings were destroyed by fire during the year with great loss to the three lodges which met in them.

The experiment of holding three daylight lodges for those who work at night again proved successful and over 90 attended each meeting.

For some years the Grand Lodge has placed wreaths on the graves of the Grand Masters who had died during the previous five years. The Grand Master did not continue the practice, but proposed to the Masters of lodges which numbered the Grand Masters on their rolls that they should mark the graves. In this way all Past Grand Masters could be honoured.

MASSACHUSETTS — 1968

4 Quarterly Communications, 11 Special Communications,
and Stated Communication, December 27.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. T. A. Booth
Grand Master, 1969-71 — M.W. Bro. H. H. Jaynes

Lodges, 348. Membership, 125,264. Loss, 2,132.

At the first Quarterly Communication, the Grand Master drew attention to the Grand Lodge Library in the Boston Masonic Temple. It is one of the finest Masonic libraries in the world, with a total of 55,000 volumes.

Anniversary meetings of lodges are frequently held, and especially in Massachusetts where several lodges have worked for more than two hundred years. A Special Communication with an uncommon purpose was held to commemorate the bicentennial of the Town of Shelburne.

As has been said before in these reviews, when the Grand Lodge holds a Special Communication to celebrate a special

anniversary of a lodge, the Proceedings for that year give a brief history of the lodge concerned. In this way the Proceedings over the years provide a detailed history of the older lodges in the Jurisdiction. The histories, invariably, give interesting details of past activities. Solomon's Temple Lodge marked its 150th anniversary. One item in the minutes records that the brethren voted "that coffee shall be substituted for cyder at our regular meetings." A committee was appointed to "procure an apparatus for preparing the coffee." The "cyder" evidently was "hard" for the next year the members voted to form a "Masonic Temperate Society," connected with the Lodge. Nothing was heard of this again. In spite of many difficult years, the Lodge survived through the Morgan episode. In 1849 it was sufficiently in funds to vote \$5 in aid of a "Masonic College in Kentucky."

The Grand Master visited the three lodges of the Jurisdiction in Chile. The last visit of a Grand Master to these lodges was by M.W. Bro. T. S. Roy in 1953.

MEXICO (YORK) — 1969

107th Annual Communication — March 7-8.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. L. D'Acosta

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. P. L. Baay

Lodges, 9.

Membership, 604.

Gain, 17.

The in-coming Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Pieter L. Baay, was born in Mexico and attended several schools and colleges in Mexico and the United States. He has a good foundation in Spanish, English, Dutch and German. In addition to his Masonic interests he is vice-president of the board of the Salvation Army.

In view of the small number of lodges in the Jurisdiction, the dedicating of the new Temple of Guadalajara Lodge, No. 5, was a significant event. The Grand Lodge also held the Annual Communication in Guadalajara.

The St. John's Day Celebration in June was a great success. Many Masonic and other fraternal bodies met "to exchange thoughts and fellowship."

Anahuac Lodge held a special meeting during the XIX Olympiad. The Grand Master paid an official visit, and Masons from England, Brazil, Austria, California and Ohio attended.

Of Masonry in general in Mexico, the Grand Master said:

"Signs of growth are visible in the maturing Cuernavaca Lodge, the absorbing and interesting sessions of Mexico Lodge of

Research and the Bahía de Acapulco Lodge U.D. which is trying to get on its feet. We regret the signs of fading interest and weakness developing in Monterrey, which is cause for deep concern. The Grand Lodge as a whole realized a net growth of 3%, which is not satisfactory, but in this day and age is most certainly favorable."

During the year eight issues of "The Craftsman" were published. They varied in content from four to eight pages. There were three special issues which were mailed world-wide, one with a resumé of the 106th Annual Grand Lodge Communication Proceedings, one with year-end holiday greetings, and the other containing the program and arrangements for the Grand Lodge Communication; the latter issue was 1,000 copies. There have been many favourable comments from outside the Jurisdiction and many new friends have been made as a result. The publication now has completed its fifth year.

Aztec Lodge, No. 22, has started to bring that Lodge to a high level of ritualistic efficiency in Spanish, and the Committee on Work and Ritual is working hard on a ritual in German. Where else in the world could one find such activity among 604 members?

MICHIGAN — 1969

143rd Annual Communication — May 27-28.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. M. E. Underhill

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. W. H. Harmon

Lodges, 540.

Membership, 159,389.

Loss, 2,787.

The Grand Lodge Officers have long been working on a new library and museum. They now have an opportunity to locate the library in the new Michigan Historical Collections Building built on the north campus of the University of Michigan, with which the Grand Lodge has had close ties since the beginning of the University. The Board of Directors of Grand Lodge recommended a contribution of \$125,000, spread over five years, towards the erection of the building, and on completion \$5,000 annually. After a lengthy and most informative discussion, the motion was carried.

The Grand Master advised each of the candidates for Grand Marshal, the first office which can lead to the office of Grand Master, that the distribution of such items as matches and pencils, and other "devices of a partisan political convention" would not be permitted.

The Grand Master and "a distinguished group of Freemasons" spent thirteen days in the Caribbean aboard the Empress of

Canada, visiting in five ports. A delegation of Michigan Masons also visited lodges in Tokyo, Hong Kong, and Bangkok.

The "Historiology Committee" reported that the second volume of the history of Freemasonry in Michigan had been held up by three matters of importance. The first was the need to issue a new edition of the Michigan Blue Book. The second was the discovery of the early minutes of Detroit Lodge, No. 2, which had been lost for many years. These records will do much to correct inaccuracies in the history as it is now recorded. The third matter was the discovery of new material bearing on the "candlelight period of Freemasonry," 1829-1840, owing to the Morgan incident. Two or three chapters will have to be rewritten.

MINNESOTA — 1969

116th Annual Communication — March 27-28.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. D. W. Tiffany
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. F. G. Emrick

Lodges, 282. Membership, 64,043. Loss, 1,086.

The Grand Master recommended that the incoming Grand Master appoint a committee to develop a programme to observe the bi-centennial of the Declaration of Independence in 1976, and the 125th Anniversary of the Grand Lodge in 1978.

The Committee on Recommendations of Grand Masters found that many of the recommendations of the previous seven years had been accepted or rejected by appropriate action. They did find, however, that many worthy recommendations had been overlooked. Three proposals recommended the appointment of a Grand Librarian and a Grand Historian and the expansion of scholarship awards.

The Committee on Honorary Membership recommended the appointment of M.W. Bro. L. E. Ostrander and M.W. Bro. H. S. Perdue, both Past Grand Masters of Manitoba, as Honorary Past Grand Masters of the Grand Lodge of Minnesota.

MISSISSIPPI — 1969

151st Annual Communication — February 11-12.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. T. O. Gore, Jr.
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. J. B. Adams

Lodges, 309. Membership, 49,634. Loss, 303.

The building programme of the Meridian Home is completed for the time being. During the year 41 children were cared for. The per capita cost was \$1,568.

The Grand Master appointed a Committee on Fraternal Relations. This body presented a moderate and well-expressed report which recommended that the Grand Lodge re-establish fraternal relations with the Grand Lodges of New York, New Jersey and the Netherlands. This part of the report was not adopted.

During the year Grand Lodge opened five times: three to lay cornerstones and two to dedicate lodge halls.

The Jurisprudence Committee had no objection to make to a request from a lodge which wished to place a Masonic emblem, with other emblems, at a city limits. In most other jurisdictions such requests are, as a rule, refused, although Oklahoma approved a similar proposal two or three years ago.

MISSOURI — 1969

148th Annual Communication — September 29-30.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. E. A. Mooney

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. J. M. Donelson

Lodges, 589.

Membership, 113,148.

Loss, 1,711.

As in other jurisdictions, the Grand Master noted the shift of rural population to urban areas with a resulting decline in the membership of rural lodges. He stressed the need for consolidation. Yet, as he said, the members resist change. He concluded:

"We are engaging in short-sighted policies by permitting these lodges to continue in existence after they have ceased to function properly. Their very existence is harmful in that it exposes an image of failure and inefficiency to the world, while, at the same time, denying those prospective candidates living within their exclusive jurisdiction a desirable place to enter the fraternity. The Grand Lodge should move to recover the Charter of any non-functioning lodge wherever the lodge may be located."

The Committee on Sesquicentennial Celebration, only two years away, reported great activity. The proposals envisage action by the Grand Lodge and all constituent lodges. The possibility of placing plaques at selected and appropriate locations across the State is being considered.

MONTANA — 1969

103rd Annual Communication — June 27-28.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. E. K. Eliason

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. F. P. Jenni

Lodges, 142.

Membership, 22,359.

Loss, 551.

The Grand Lodge received a report on proposed retirement homes. The idea of retirement homes is comparatively new, probably 15 or 16 years old. Various organizations have sponsored them. These homes are considered the best substitute for the residents' own homes. When the Directors of the Winterhaven Masonic Manor Corporation selected Billings as the location of the project "the site was donated by two Billings Masonic brethren. It is valued at about \$195,000 and contains a little more than ten acres." Such generosity deserves notice.

It is planned to build by installments. There will be a number of types of apartments available. Tenants may buy them outright or on a monthly basis. All residents will also pay an additional fee for board, etc. The building must not be confused with a hospital or nursing home, but will be, what it is called, a retirement home.

It has been found, according to the Directors, that the increase in the life span of residents in Masonic homes and similar institutions has been increased by eleven years. This increase is attributed to lack of worry, pleasant surroundings and a balanced diet. One member of the Board explained that the general rule that residents of such institutions must eat at least their major meal of the day is aimed at guaranteeing that they get a balanced diet. The cost of building the apartments will vary from \$12,000 to \$27,000 depending on size.

The Montana Masonic Home has 51 residents, with an average age of over 86. The infirmary there is quite inadequate.

NEBRASKA — 1969

112th Annual Communication — June 3-4.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. N. W. Lallman
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. W. Eisenhart

Lodges, 262. Membership, 42,687. Loss, 619.

The Grand Lodge was kept busy laying cornerstones. The buildings involved included four Masonic Temples, two schools and a public library. Seven new Masonic Temples were dedicated. Two of the new buildings were remodelled churches, and one had been a bank building.

The Grand Historian reported that his "History of the Nebraska Masonic Home 1903-1968" had been published. His next project will be an historical work entitled "The Grand Masters' Address."

The Fraternal Review was presented by M.W. Bro. W. B. Wanner for the twenty-second time. He correctly called the read-

ing of 68 Proceedings "a most interesting and rewarding Masonic World Tour." Rather than dealing with each Jurisdiction separately he writes on various subjects. He, for example, worked out the statistics that in the volumes he read, 26 lodges were started while consolidations really reduced the number. He added "This is a field that should require close investigation. Much talk is indulged in about our mobility as a people, but little is done to follow that mobility with a lodge."

He was "amazed" by the number of Past Masters' pins marking fifty years of service given by our Grand Lodge, and more so by the number of those who receive recognition for sixty and seventy years of service. He concluded, "They are healthy in the North!"

NEVADA — 1968

104th Annual Communication — November 11-12.

Grand Master, 1967-68 — M.W. Bro. G. T. Myers
Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. A. Morrison

Lodges, 36. Membership, 7,438. Gain, 144.

All the constituent lodges were represented at the Annual Communication.

During his visits, and he visited some of the lodges two and three times, the Grand Master felt that there was increased activity in his Jurisdiction. Some of the smaller lodges had more candidates than they had had in many years. At the same time he thought that there should be more co-operation and visiting between lodges and in some places there should be more lodges established.

The Committee on Legitimacy of Grand Lodges produced a lengthy report owing to questions carried over from the previous year. The Committee recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of the Dominican Republic, The Grand Lodge of Southern Africa, the Grand Lodge (National) of Colombia (Cartagena), and the Grand Lodge of Luxembourg. The Grand Lodge of Egypt called forth some sound comment, simply expressed.

"This Grand Lodge is not listed in the List of Lodges and is recognized by only 6 U.S. Grand Lodges, one of which has withdrawn recognition since July 1967. Nevada is one of the six.

"Our recognition has been questioned by the United Grand Lodge of England. California withdrew recognition in 1965 on the strength of England's position.

"While we are not bound as to what Grand Lodges are recognized or not, by England, it is a good guide. That Grand Lodge does not get too far out of line. They may be entirely too slow to satisfy the American Mason, but they may set a mighty good general line to follow.

"Because the established government of Egypt is antagonistic to our Western ways and, if our understanding is correct, is making it practically impossible for Freemasonry to exist, we believe the time has come to sever fraternal relations."

The Committee, therefore, recommended withdrawal of recognition.

The Grand Lodge met on several occasions to lay cornerstones or, as the Minutes had it, "for the purpose of placing the cornerstone . . . with prayer, proclamation and salute to the flag." The orator on one of these occasions reported that he was speaking at the 183rd occasion on which the Grand Lodge had officiated at a cornerstone ceremony. Of these 183 some 71, or 39 per cent, had been buildings which were public schools, University of Nevada buildings, or other buildings having a direct connection with education. Subsequently two more cornerstones for high schools were laid, changing the figure to 185 and the percentage of educational buildings to almost exactly 40.

NEVADA — 1969

105th Annual Communication — November 10-11.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. A. Morrison
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. E. D. Wilson

Lodges, 37. Membership, 7,533. Gain, 94.

As in the case of the District of Columbia, we can catch up on our arrears in our review of the Nevada Proceedings.

For the first time in several years, every lodge in the State conferred at least one degree.

The Grand Secretary received so many requests for biographical information and photos of the Past Grand Masters of Nevada that he decided to do something about the matter. The photos were no problem. M.W. Bro. S. E. Ross (P.G.M.) volunteered to take on the task of writing the biographies and completed them in the year. (The 105 years of the Grand Lodge have seen 96 Grand Masters). Actually, in 1924 the Grand Lodge resolved to undertake the project, but did not proceed with the work. Now, 45 years later the work is done.

NEW BRUNSWICK — 1969

102nd Annual Communication — May 9-10.

Grand Master, 1967-69 — M.W. Bro. W. J. Summerville

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. M. S. Speight

Lodges, 49.

Membership, 8,361.

Loss, 22.

After the Annual Communication was opened and the roll had been called, The Grand Lodge adjourned to unveil and dedicate a memorial in Fernhill Cemetery to M.W. Bro. Benjamin Lester Peters (1827-1894), first Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick (1867-1870).

The Grand Historian reported on the highlights of the year in the Jurisdiction. Restigouche Lodge No. 25, Dalhousie, the first lodge constituted by the Grand Lodge, observed its centennial. The first Mason of New Brunswick to receive a 75 year bar to his 50 year jewel, the Rev. York Adam King, died on May 29, 1968. He celebrated his 100th birthday four months before his death. Six Masonic scholarships of \$500 each were presented to six students in various universities.

The Grand Historian paid a tribute to M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris, an Honorary Past Grand Master of New Brunswick.

NEW HAMPSHIRE — 1969

110th Semiannual Communication — November 16, 1968.

180th Annual Communication — May 17.

Grand Master, 1967-69 — M.W. Bro. C. A. Buswell

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. R. L. Sloan

Lodges, 82.

Membership, 16,442.

Loss, 191.

The Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. H. O. Cady, P.G.M., died on February 10, 1969. He was born in 1888, served as Grand Master, 1947-48 and as Grand Secretary from 1954 until his death. In addition to his duties as Grand Secretary he wrote the fraternal reviews. His remarks have frequently been quoted in our pages. He finished this task before his death and once again devoted two and one half pages to our Proceedings. He regretted that space did not permit him to include more notes on the reports of our committees.

The final paragraph of his Foreword dealt with what he had noticed in those jurisdictions which had experimented with state-wide concurrent jurisdiction. His impression was that all the experiments had been successful. He concluded: "To deprive a

petitioner of applying to the Lodge of his choice is most selfish, and should not be countenanced by any Lodge. Such a refusal carries the potential of keeping a well qualified and valuable man from ever becoming a member of the Fraternity. No qualified man will ever petition a Lodge, other than the one in the jurisdiction of his home, unless he has a good reason for doing so."

He will be sorely missed.

The list of dispensations to "hold table lodges" totalled eleven. These occasions were all attended by a Grand Lodge officer representing the Grand Lodge. Other dispensations showed much visiting across state boundaries. One lodge was permitted to visit Victoria Lodge No. 2, Charlottetown, P.E.I., and to confer the M.M. degree on its candidate and two Victoria Lodge candidates. One lodge was authorized to celebrate its 100th Anniversary with an open air meeting "on top of Mt. Washington" and another its 150th "at Mt. Sunapee State Park."

NEW JERSEY — 1969

182nd Annual Communication — April 23-24.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. L. W. Pancake
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. C. A. Eisenfelder

Lodges, 283. Membership, 96,506. Loss, 1,846.

Every lodge in the Jurisdiction was represented at the Annual Communication.

During the year one lodge celebrated its 50th Anniversary, eight their 100th, and one, Washington Lodge No. 33, its 150th.

In 1921 the Grand Lodge revived the ancient Masonic custom of observing the Feasts of Saint John the Baptist and Saint John the Evangelist. Two celebrations were held. Over 700 attended a dinner on December 7.

The Special Committee on Building agreed that the relocation of the Grand Lodge Building should not be delayed. They agreed that the new building should include a library-meeting room, and should be located near the Masonic Home in Burlington Township. The location is central, accessible, and has sufficient land for a building and parking space. The report was accepted.

The Grand Lodge also approved the proposal that the Special Committee on Retirement Homes be authorized to organize a private non-profit corporation under the Laws of New Jersey, with authority to build and operate retirement homes under the sponsorship of the Grand Lodge.

The Grand Historian reported that he had begun the task he was appointed to do, to write a history of the Grand Lodge to celebrate its 200th Anniversary. Only two histories of the Grand Lodge have been written since it was constituted in 1787, one in 1870 and the second in 1937.

NEW MEXICO — 1969

92nd Annual Communication — March 17-18.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. H. Gibson
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. M. C. Holmes

Lodges, 65. Membership, 14,848. Loss, 144.

The Grand Lodge convened three Special Communications to dedicate new lodge premises. The first was on a Sunday morning and all those present first attended the church service at the First Methodist Church. The other two dedications were of more than common interest. One was a new lodge room in the Wesley Methodist Church building, and the other was a one-time First Methodist Church, which had been bought and converted by Vaughan Lodge No. 43, Vaughan. Other lodges also had building plans well advanced.

A proposal to reduce the "line of ascension" to the Grand East from eight years to five was not adopted.

The Board of Directors unanimously approved the employment of an architectural firm to draw tentative plans for a new Grand Lodge office building.

In spite of two months of illness, the Grand Master visited every lodge and attended all the 15 workshops held, and two outdoor meetings. From the evidence of the activity of the Grand Master and the many new buildings occupied or planned, he was clearly justified in saying, "I feel that there is a renewed interest in Masonry in New Mexico."

NEW SOUTH WALES — 1969

81st Annual Report of two Special and four Quarterly Communications, 1968 and 1969.

Grand Master, 1966-69 — M.W. Bro. E. A. Primrose
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. R. A. Hammond

Lodges, 915. Membership, 105,578. Loss, 3,528.

The year saw two new developments. A Research Lodge, known as the "Research Lodge of N.S.W., No. 971" has been

consecrated and the first issue of the Masonic Journal appeared. Both were needed in the Jurisdiction.

The Grand Master was pleased to note that Masters' and Wardens' Associations had been formed in many districts.

The report of the Grand Inspectors of Workings show that these officers are a conscientious group. They found a great deal of activity and enthusiasm in their areas. Fraternal visitations between country and suburban lodges are proving of great interest.

NEW YORK — 1969

188th Annual Communication — May 6-8.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. F. C. Staples

Grand Master, 1968-70 — M.W. Bro. C. F. Gosnell

Lodges, 1,032.

Membership, 254,926.

Loss, 6,788.

For twenty years the Grand Lodge has run an annual Brotherhood Fund Campaign. The figure for 1968-69 was one million dollars. The thinking behind that figure is that one quarter of a million brethren should be able to raise that amount. At the time of Grand Lodge the amount collected was \$704,089. The Grand Master stated: "The very essence of our Masonic Fraternity is expressed in our central charity, the Brotherhood Fund. We seek not only a substantial amount of money, but the widest possible participation."

The fund is used to help support various projects of the Grand Lodge, such as: 1. Masonic Home and Hospital, Utica; to take care of the senior brethren, their widows and orphans; 2. Masonic Foundation for Medical Research and Human Welfare; the Masonic responsibility to all mankind; 3. Masonic Youth Foundation; 4. Service and Rehabilitation; supporting men and women serving in the armed forces; 5. Masonic Benevolence; 6. Grand Master's Projects. The Grand Lodge carries on a most ambitious programme.

Great improvements have been made in the Grand Lodge building in New York city. This is located between 23rd and 24th Streets at Sixth Avenue and is known as "Masonic Hall."

The Custodians of the Work, with the concurrence of the Committee on Jurisprudence, proposed changing the Obligation in a way similar to the change which was promulgated in the United Grand Lodge of England. The change was approved.

Although the membership has continued to drop, largely owing to deaths, the Grand Master saw clear signs of continued

vitality and growth. The Grand Lodge Officers participated in the cornerstone and dedication ceremonies of a dozen temples and one fine lodge was constituted.

NEW ZEALAND — 1968

79th Annual Communication — November 27.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. J. A. Redwood
Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. Sir Arthur Porritt,
Bt., G.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., C.B.E.

Lodges, 432.

Membership, 45,417.

Loss, 571.

The Grand Lodge operates a home for girls: Kirkpatrick House, at Nelson. The number in residence dropped to ten, the lowest for some time. Applications for admission from girls between six and thirteen are considered, provided there is some Masonic connection in the family.

The Grand Lodge established fraternal relations with the Grand Lodge of Southern Africa and the Grand Lodge of Japan.

The drop in membership was explained by financial conditions in the country which resulted in an increased number of resignations, largely by members with multiple lodge memberships withdrawing from one or more of their lodges. The number of initiations and joining members increased over the previous year.

The matter of dress again was discussed. The minute ran as follows:

"The practice of wearing a white tie with a dinner suit or lounge suit is not found anywhere in the world other than New Zealand and in this country only in Masonic circles. The Board considers that the interests of Brethren would best be served by conforming to the accepted custom of wearing a black tie when wearing other than full evening dress."

The recommendation was passed 964 to 411, showing that many felt strongly that the present custom should prevail.

The Book of Constitution requires the Grand Lodge to meet in rotation in each of the five divisions of the Dominion.

The newly elected Grand Master, the Governor-General of New Zealand, was installed in the evening at the conclusion of the Annual Communication. He told something of the history of the office of Grand Master.

"I had barely recovered from the delightful shock of receiving the Queen's letter of appointment when I found M.W. Bro. Redwood on my doorstep in London discussing things Masonic in

New Zealand and mooted the possibility of what has indeed transpired today. We both decided that it was right and proper that I should discover at first hand what my Vice-Regal commitments amounted to, before making a final decision about the Grand Mastership.

"The interim has left me in no doubt that the Governor-Generalcy is the best part of a full-time task, but the warmth of the welcome I have received from Masons throughout New Zealand and their obvious willingness to accept the calculated risk of my becoming their Grand Master tempted me—with the result that I am here with you today, a very proud and very humble N.Z. Mason.

"I must say that a not unimportant factor in my decision was the example set to me by a number of my illustrious predecessors—although I think I am right in saying that this has not happened for a considerable number of years."

The Grand Master had left New Zealand forty-five years before to accept a Rhodes scholarship. The chairman of the selection board at that time was Lord Jellicoe, then Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand. The Grand Master quoted a paragraph from his predecessor's address to Grand Lodge almost half a century ago, which is still timely.

"The power and influence of Freemasonry is just what Freemasons choose to make it. It can be a great force in the world for good—uplifting and elevating, bringing comfort, light and happiness to all. Alternatively, it can become merely a body practising secret signs and symbols with a ritual beautiful in itself, but meaningless unless it leads to the practice of what is preached."

NORTH CAROLINA — 1969

182nd Annual Communication — April 15-16.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. R. W. Bass, Jr.

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. W. A. Hooks

Lodges, 379.

Membership, 67,419.

Gain, 602.

The Board of Publication of "The North Carolina Mason" reported that every Mason in North Carolina is now receiving monthly a copy of this publication at no cost to himself. The Board is keeping a watchful eye on the project and is seeking every opportunity for improvement. The total annual cost is \$33,750.

The Grand Master encouraged, "even urged", every Masonic district and lodge to plan a day of celebration of St. John the Baptist's Day, in one form or another. He presented some thoughts on the significance of St. John the Baptist in Masonry.

' 'Let there be Light' is the greatest command God ever gave. Of the 365 days of the year St. John the Baptist's Day is the one day which contains the utmost possible amount of Light. When we hold a festival in honor of it, it is because it is a standing symbol or sign to signify that Masons are sons of enlightenment and will continue to be so long as dawns appear and suns mount to the meridian. Because of the stern integrity of St. John the Baptist, which induced him to forego every minor consideration in discharging the obligations he owed to God; the unshaken firmness with which he met martyrdom rather than betray his duty to his Master; his steady reproof of vice and continued preaching of repentance and virtue, he was chosen as a fit patron of the Masonic institution."

Since the origin of the connection between Freemasonry and the two Saints John, possibly going back to the seventeenth century, prior to the organization of the Mother Grand Lodge in 1717, as the Grand Master of Indiana stated, is not known, the Grand Master's views provided an original application.

NORTH DAKOTA — 1969

80th Annual Communication — June 16-18.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. H. M. Williams
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. O. Haakenstad

Lodges, 117.

Membership, 12,103.

Loss, 320.

The Grand Master granted five dispensations to hold meetings in other than specified lodge halls. Two of these were outdoor meetings. During the year only fifteen lodges had meetings without a special speaker for the evening. All but nine lodges reported that they had some Grand Lodge visitor during the year. It would appear that members of the Grand Lodge are faithful in their visiting.

The Grand Lodge maintains several historic sites which are inspected each year.

The Committee on Policy and General Purposes generally looks after all plans and projects of the Grand Lodge not specifically referred to another committee. One of the responsibilities of the Committee was to discuss the space needs of the Grand Lodge in the new Masonic Temple being planned by Scottish Rite bodies, to be built in Fargo.

NOVA SCOTIA — 1969

104th Annual Communication — June 13-14.

Grand Master, 1967-69 — M.W. Bro. F. C. Morrison

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. W. Horne

Lodges, 117.

Membership, 12,821.

Loss, 253.

The Grand Master travelled widely through his jurisdiction and also spent ten days accompanying the District Deputy Grand Master of Newfoundland (SC) on a tour of the west coast of Newfoundland. The Grand Master made a worthwhile recommendation, which might well be implemented in other jurisdictions.

"So many times during my travels about the jurisdiction, I called on lodges which reported that they had not had a visit from a Grand Lodge Officer, other than the District Deputy Grand Master. I would recommend that the incoming Grand Master consider allocating various lodges to the Deputy Grand Master, Senior Grand Warden, and Junior Grand Warden, so that they may visit these lodges and promote the work of Masonry. To hold an elective office of this Grand Lodge is an honour bestowed by the brethren. Each elected officer then should expect to contribute a portion of his time on behalf of Grand Lodge. The Grand Master cannot visit the 117 lodges during his term of office. The other elective officers can lighten his load by taking over a number of such duties."

The Grand Lodge recognized the Grand Lodge of the Dominican Republic. The first national Grand Lodge was formed there in 1858 with Thomas Bobadilla y Briones, a Dominican statesman, as Grand Master. In 1959 the name was changed to the Gran Logia Nacional.

M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris, Grand Master of Nova Scotia, 1932-34, well known to many in our jurisdiction, died on August 2, 1968. He was a tireless worker, and particularly interested in Masonic history.

In addition to his activity in Masonic pursuits he was a distinguished layman in his church. He served as a governor of King's College for a number of years, and was an alderman of the City of Halifax, 1911-13.

OKLAHOMA — 1969

61st Annual Communication — February 11-13.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. C. Thrash

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. K. C. Imel

Lodges, 364.

Membership, 77,236.

Loss, 1,323.

The Grand Master travelled 75,000 miles during his year in office and, as he said, did not regret one of them. His most sig-

nificant action was his authorization of resumption of fraternal relations with the Grand Lodge of New Jersey.

The Grand Lodge operates two homes, one for children and the other for the aged. The former has a population of about fifty, and the latter 128. The expenditures for the two homes totalled about \$340,000. Rising costs are causing concern.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence and Fraternal Relations recommended that the Grand Lodge sever relations with Egypt and Spain, but postpone any action with regard to Cuba.

OREGON — 1969

119th Annual Communication — June 11-13.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. W. A. McMinimce

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. P. W. Sorenson

Lodges, 190.

Membership, 39,412.

Loss, 705.

The Grand Master spoke at some length and in a forthright manner on ritual, saying in part:

"I feel Masonry will greatly decline if ritualistic work is not maintained at its highest possible level.

"From observation I am inclined to believe that we are all to some degree lazy and that I head this list. I am indeed sorry to report a condition which I feel impelled to call to your attention. I refer to the growing tendency of lodges to call on other lodges and groups to put on their degree work . . . In some jurisdictions this is absolutely prohibited. I have taken the position that it is better for a lodge to allow another lodge to confer a degree than to fail to confer the work or to do the job poorly. I now have deep reservations about this, inwardly feel that my judgment in this matter has not been good and that such a policy is not good for the Blue Lodges.

"It is the prerogative of and the duty of Blue Lodge Masonry to make Masons, and this duty should not be delegated.

"There is absolutely no reason why Blue Lodge Masonry cannot and should not have the finest and the best ritualistic teams in all the world . . .

"It is my hope that you will give serious consideration to this admonition and think twice before you extend an invitation to anyone of another lodge to do your Masonic business, namely the ritualistic work of making Masons."

He spoke also of the heavy demands on the Grand Master and suggested that many social functions should be performed by the Deputy Grand Master.

PENNSYLVANIA — 1968

Annual Communication — December 27 and
Quarterly Communications, March 6, June 5, September 4,
and December 4.

Grand Master, 1966-67 — M.W. Bro. R. E. Deyoe

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. K. Young

Lodges, 610. Membership, 247,364. Loss, 2,006

The Quarterly and Annual Communications make heavy demands on the officers of the Grand Lodge. Many other members attend in addition. For example, the figures for the four quarterly meetings were: 518, 683, 315, 694. The Annual Communication saw only 201, representing 97 lodges.

The Grand Master reported on changes in the esoteric work recommended by the Committee on Landmarks, at his request, in line with the changes in the Grand Lodges of England and Scotland. In short, they include

- "1. A statement pointing out that the ancient penalties are symbolic.
- "2. A clarification of the secrecy.
- "3. A broader explanation of the moral code."

He suggested that any one interested in the exact word changes should attend one of the 59 schools of instruction.

A year ago the Grand Master pointed out the importance of the Masonic Temple in Philadelphia as one of the outstanding Masonic structures in the world. During the year extensive renovations to the building were undertaken, including year-around air-conditioning and air control.

The Masonic Homes, described at some length in our 1968 Reviews, are presenting a serious problem. The latest budget totals well over \$3,000,000 for operation alone. Operating costs have increased at the rate of \$185,000 per year.

Lodge premises are being improved and many new temples are being built. As the Grand Master said: "We can no longer meet in third-floor attics."

The Grand Master issued an edict that a member of a lodge in the Jurisdiction was not permitted to become a member of, or hold membership in, the Universal League of the Most Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons, commonly known as the Universal League of Freemasons.

The Committee on Correspondence recommended that fraternal recognition be extended to the Grand Lodge of Pernambuco and the Grand Lodge of Para, both in Brazil, and the Grand Lodge of Colombia. The recommendations were adopted unanimously.

PHILIPPINES — 1969

53rd Annual Communication — April 22-24.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. E. Schon

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. M. M. Crudo

Lodges, 151.

Membership, 12,587.

Gain, 241.

For several years the Grand Lodge has been improving the Lodge building. Plans for a new large structure were given up six years ago. This year the water supply and power lines were altered. Changes were made in the dormitory for visiting Masons, noticed in these Reviews in 1967. The library was refurbished and a "Social Hall" completed. Considering the size of the membership, the Grand Lodge has ambitious ideas.

A proposal to lower the age of petitioners, if sons of Masons in good standing, was decisively rejected.

The Committee on Revision of the Constitution completed its assignment "of simplifying, clarifying, consolidating and updating the Constitution" without altering the various sections. The new text was approved.

The Committee on Correspondence could not review the great number of Proceedings received but did report on eight. It is noteworthy that of this number Alberta, Saskatchewan, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia were included.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND — 1969

94th Annual Communication — June 28.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. W. S. Burns

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. S. L. Caseley

Lodges, 17.

Membership, 1,423.

Loss, 27.

Many of the Lodges have improved their lodge buildings and one is having a new temple built.

The Board of General Purposes met five times during the year. Incidentally it was stated that the Jurisdiction follows the "Webb Work" in its ritual.

The Grand Lodge recognized the Grand Lodge of Para, Brazil, and the Grand Lodge of Guanabara, Brazil, but postponed a decision on the Grand Lodge of Iran until more Canadian Grand Lodges grant recognition.

The Scholarship Committee granted four scholarships to students in four separate universities. Details regarding the principles followed were not given but the Grand Treasurer's Report showed that \$1,000.00 was expended in this way. Presumably each scholarship amounted to \$250.00. In view of the relatively small membership of the Jurisdiction these sums are generous.

QUEBEC — 1969

99th Annual Communication — June 5.

Grand Master, 1967-69 — M.W. Bro. J. B. Nayler

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. G. E. Brown

Lodges, 110.

Membership, 15,938.

Loss, 467.

The Grand Lodge of Quebec was instituted on October 20, 1869. In 1968 it was decided to celebrate the centennial at the time of the Annual Communication in June 1969. A Vesper service was held on June 4, at St. George's Anglican Church, followed by the Grand Lodge banquet. The sessions of Grand Lodge followed the next day.

The service was conducted by M.W. Bro. Rev. Dean Arthur E. Coleman, R.W. Bro. C. Ritchie Bell and R.W. Bro. Rabbi Solomon Frank. The choir was composed of Brethren from the St. Lawrence District.

The speaker at the banquet was our M.W. Bro. Most Rev. Archbishop W. L. Wright. There were 1010 in attendance. All those present at the banquet received a history of the Grand Lodge, abridged from the history of Freemasonry in Quebec, by R.W. Bro. A. J. B. Milborne.

The establishment of the Grand Lodge of Quebec occurred about 110 years after the introduction of Freemasonry into what is now the Province of Quebec by Masons serving in the Regiments which formed the British force under General Wolfe. A document discovered in 1920 shows that the first joint meeting of the lodges in the garrison of Quebec was held on November 28, 1759. The lodges represented at this meeting were six in number. Three held warrants from the Grand Lodge of Ireland, two were

under dispensation by the Grand Lodge of Ireland, and one held a warrant from the Provincial Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. The meeting elected a lieutenant in the 47th Regiment to act as Grand Master until authority could be secured from the Grand Master of England, by whom they meant the Grand Master of the original Grand Lodge (called the Modern) and not the 1752 body (called the Ancient). In 1760 Col. Simon Fraser, of the 78th Regiment (Fraser's Highlanders) was installed as Provincial Grand Master.

The Provincial Grand Lodge continued until 1792. During its existence it warranted several lodges. One is now No. 1 on the Register of the Grand Lodge of Vermont.

During the year under review a new lodge, The Rawdon Centennial Lodge, at Rawdon, was instituted. Three hundred Masons, representing 42 lodges, attended. Following the institution by the Grand Master and many past and present Grand Lodge officers, a banquet was held at the Consolidated School. Several guests were present, including the Mayors of Rawdon and Rawdon Township, the local parish priest, and others.

QUEENSLAND — 1969

48th Annual Report — One special and four Quarterly Communications.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. J. A. R. Thompson

Grand Master, 1968-70 — M.W. Bro. His Excellency the
Hon. Sir Alan James Mansfield

Lodges, 477.

Membership, 35,955.

Loss, 307.

At his installation the Grand Master gave a brief and telling address. He said in part:

"We can appreciate that the outward appearance of things must change with the times, we cannot accept the view that the spirit which lies beneath must also change and I know all of us are afraid that this very thing is happening and that there is as it were a sickness of mind in the community. The main trouble is that so many people lack a real sense of purpose in their lives. They feel no sense of personal involvement in any great cause, international, national or domestic. Freemasonry which is founded on the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of man, can do a great deal to fill this dreadful gap in the minds and the lives of so many of our people and particularly our younger people. It is not outside the area of our Order to do what it can to find a remedy for a community ill—since whatever is detrimental to the community is detrimental to the Craft. Our institution can and should be a powerful social force in our community and it can

be the means of giving to community life that purpose and that meaning which it so sadly lacks.

"Freemasonry is not confined to the pages of the Ritual or to the inside of the Lodge. Freemasons must at all times be living examples of the principles and tenets of the Craft. These principles and tenets should be made known more widely than they are so that those not in the Craft, may understand and appreciate it as a code of life which befits all men of goodwill and not regarded as a secret society or a religion in itself, which it clearly is not. The only parts of our Ceremonies which must not be disclosed are those secrets which we have undertaken not to divulge and which enable one Mason to recognise another. These ends can be achieved if all in the Craft will be active practising Freemasons three hundred and sixty-five days a year and not merely when they come to Lodge Meetings. Set an example of service to others and let the world know that in doing so you are following the dictates of your Craft."

Year in and year out, the Grand Masters of the United Grand Lodge of Queensland present the most thoughtful addresses given in any Jurisdiction.

SASKATCHEWAN — 1969

63rd Annual Communication — June 18.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. T. C. M. Nixon

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. A. Lewis

Lodges, 199.

Membership, 15,683.

Loss, 290.

The lodges, Maple Leaf No. 9 at Maple Creek, and Evening Star No. 10, at Grenfell, completed 75 years of continuous activity. Many others celebrated 60 and 50 years of Masonic endeavour.

The Grand Lodge departed from custom by opening, or having the first gathering of the Annual Communication, in the form of a vesper thanksgiving service.

Once again the Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan was introduced in Grand Lodge. He came in the dual capacity of Lieutenant-Governor and also as M.W. Bro. R. L. Hanbidge (P.G.M.).

The brethren of the Grand Lodge of Montana presented the United States flag "to express their affection for the brethren of Saskatchewan."

SCOTLAND — 1969

M.W. Grand Master Mason, 1965-69

Major Sir Ronald Orr Ewing

M.W. Grand Master Mason, 1969-70 — David Liddell-Grainger

Lodges within Scotland, 640.

Overseas, 420.

The Annual Communication met in most poignant circumstances. The Grand Master Mason had arranged to have Bro. Sir Malcolm Barclay-Harvey (P.G.M. 1949-53) share in the Installation by obligating and investing his step-son Bro. David Liddell-Grainger, as Grand Master Mason. Unfortunately, ten days before the Communication he died.

The first duty of the newly installed Grand Master Mason was to confer honorary membership of the Grand Lodge of Scotland on M.W. Bro. H.R.H. The Duke of Kent. In reply he remarked on variations between the installation ceremonies of the Grand Lodges of England, Scotland and Ireland but concluded: "This, however, is as it should be. Sister Grand Lodges, such as our three, are, I am sure, all the better for having minor differences of ritual and procedure. These differences serve only to strengthen the underlying unity of purpose which is to maintain the high principles of the Craft that we have inherited from our Masonic forebears and which we have over the generations disseminated throughout the civilised world. I believe that our influence continues and can still play a large part in world-wide Masonry. Not only have all the Grand Lodges of the Commonwealth and the great majority of those established elsewhere derived their existence directly from our three Grand Lodges but there are still very many parts of the world where we have Lodges directly under our jurisdictions. Some of these have no close neighbours and work right out on a limb. In other cases we find all three Constitutions working harmoniously together. In still others we are all three represented together with a local constitution with whom our Lodges live under treaty and in full agreement."

The Grand Master Mason visited Canada in 1969. The purpose of his visit was to install the new District Grand Master of Newfoundland, Bro. Hedley Snelgrove, visit the Scottish lodges in Newfoundland, and to see some of their work, and to attend the Centennial Celebrations of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, in Montreal. At St. John's the Grand Master Mason and his party were received by the Immediate Past District Grand Master, Bro. Jack Harnum, who had recently been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Newfoundland.

The Grand Master Mason and the Grand Secretary also visited lodges in East Africa. One of his duties was to erect and consecrate Lodge Ruwenzori No. 1652 in Kilembe, Nairobi.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA — 1969

Half-yearly Communication — October 16, 1968.

84th Annual Communication — April 16.

Grand Master, 1959-64 — M.W. Bro. Sir Bruce Ross

Grand Master, 1964-70 — M.W. Bro. The Rev. Canon W. R. Ray

Lodges, 210.

Membership, 24,223.

Loss, 1,109.

The important events during the year were the centenary celebration of Corinthian Lodge No. 34, the jubilee celebrations of Streaky Bay Lodge No. 85, Eudunda Lodge No. 85 and Waikerie Lodge No. 86, and the dedication of the temple of Parndana Lodge No. 206.

The Grand Lodge has granted twelve scholarships for several years. Two more were added on the motion of the president of the Board of Benevolence. The scholarships are allotted in suitable cases to children between the ages of ten and eighteen years, and as a general principle are awarded for the education of necessitous, not necessarily brilliant, students. Due regard is given to the character of the student, intellectual merit and general suitability. Applications must be accompanied by a recommendation from the Master and Wardens of the lodge to which the father belongs or belonged. The amount of the scholarships is \$100 or \$105.

The Grand Master in his address at the half-yearly Communication referred to music, a subject seldom discussed by Grand Masters.

"So many times in the past I have been conscious of, or have had my attention drawn, to the quality of music and of the singing, both in Temple ceremonies and at Festive Boards. I have also had my attention drawn, because I learnt the organ for a great number of years myself, to the unobtrusive work of Lodge organists and accompanists at the Festive Board. Naturally at times the banality of songs is quite unworthy of the singer or the player; sometimes too, I am horrified at the dissonance of wheezy organs and off-key pianos. Let me hasten to add that this is no fault of the player but of the lack of tuning or the very great age of some venerable instruments. But the music of the South Australian Constitution, both on occasions of Lodge meetings and on occasions of Grand Lodge, is notable in those Constitutions which I have visited, and I must pay tribute to organists, to choristers, to pianists, and to solo performers. Whether with their voice or on an instrument, it is something of which we ought to be as conscious as we are proud."

It would appear that more is made of music than in, for example, our own Jurisdiction. Indeed, one lodge, Lodge Thespian

No. 195, with a membership of 171, put on a three hour "Masonic Musicale" in aid of the Masonic Memorial Village.

The Grand Lecturer, the Deputy Grand Lecturer, and members of the panel of Authorized Lecturers gave more than 170 officially authorized lectures. The Grand Lecturer concluded:

"From the nature of the subjects that have been requested and from the questions which have frequently been asked during and after these addresses, it is clear that there is a growing desire on the part of many of our Brethren for information on all aspects of our Ritual as well as on the history, development and symbolism of the Craft."

The Annual Communication agreed to a recommendation that the provision that only natural-born or naturalized British subjects could be admitted by initiation or affiliation, be rescinded. The Grand Master is empowered to grant a dispensation in exceptional cases on the recommendation of the Board of General Purposes.

SOUTH CAROLINA — 1969

232nd Annual Communication — April 24-25.

Grand Master, 1966-68 — M.W. Bro. R. L. Smith
Grand Master, 1968-70 — M.W. Bro. W. H. Grimball

Lodges, 319. Membership, 64,324. Gain, 773.

The Grand Master addressed the 28th annual Rock Quarry Meeting of the 18th District. The location is "Wings Quarry," near Travellers Rest. According to the Grand Master, the conferring of the Third Degree in this unusual setting has become a Masonic highlight in South Carolina and attracts Masons from all over the United States. He also attended our Annual Communication.

The Grand Lodge supported a request from interested persons who wished to restore the Cokesbury Masonic Female College Property. The request revealed an early and unusual Masonic activity.

Bascomb Lodge No. 80, was chartered in 1851. In 1854 the Lodge erected a three-story building on three and one-half acres of land, the third story to be used as a Lodge Hall; the first and second stories to be used for administrative offices and classrooms for the Cokesbury Masonic Female College. The building was completed, dedicated and classes began in 1856. The first class graduated in 1859.

Bascomb Lodge, with the assistance of the Grand Lodge and other interested individuals and organizations, continued to

operate the College until 1876 when the property was deeded to the Annual Conference of the Methodist Church. The Church continued to operate the College until 1911. Soon thereafter the Church deeded the property to the Greenwood School District Trustees, and the building was used for many years as a public school building.

Bascomb Lodge No. 80, surrendered its charter in 1894; however, a new Lodge by that name was chartered in 1947 and given the number 363. This Lodge used the building for its meetings for several years until it built a new building in the town of Hodges, two miles away. The building was allowed to fall into disrepair. Now the South Carolina Methodist Church is restoring the building and the Grand Lodge is restoring the third floor and furnishing it as a lodge room.

SOUTH DAKOTA — 1969

95th Annual Communication — June 10-11.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. N. Thomson

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. R. Kaiser

Lodges, 162. Membership, 17,803. Loss, 334.

The Centennial Committee has been at work for four years. Originally it was planned to appropriate \$1,000 per year towards setting up of the necessary fund. In view of increased expenses the Grand Master recommended an increase of \$250 per year.

Although the membership total showed a loss this was the lowest figure for several years. The "Masonic Messenger", mailed quarterly to all members, is proving to be useful in keeping up interest.

The Grand Historian gave a Historical Sketch of the Midwest Conference of Masonic Education. This body was organized in 1950. Twelve states belong to the Conference: Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Over half of the annual one-day meetings have been held in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, owing to its central location. The purpose of the gatherings is to promote the interest of Masonic education.

TASMANIA — 1969

78th Annual Communication — February 22.

Half-yearly Communication — August 30.

Grand Master, 1965-67 — M.W. Bro. T. E. Doe

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. W. H. Hill

Lodges, 75. Membership, 8,463. Loss, 173.

Some of the more interesting comments on conditions in the Jurisdiction are to be found in the Reports of the Grand Inspectors

of Lodges (evidently equivalent to our D.D.G.M., although they are described as V.W.)

The G.I.L. for the North West remarked:

"I would like to remind Directors of Ceremonies in some Lodges against crossing the Lodge anticlock wise in front of the altar to introduce visiting Wor. Masters. This besides looking undignified is setting a bad example for the younger brethren.

"It is also pleasing to notice that the word Reigning Master has disappeared from our Lodges. This word had begun to take over from Wor. Master during the past couple of years. It is also pleasing to see a big improvement in attendances at the regular meetings. And visiting Brethren from other lodges have also been very noticeable. This shows there is still plenty of interest in the Craft."

The G.I.L. for the Northern District also commented on an all too prevalent practice not unknown in other Jurisdictions.

"On one or two occasions the work in the Temple was marred by audible conversations among Past Masters. The supper table is the place for these conversations, and in this respect I would suggest that formalities be kept to a minimum. Proposers of toasts and responders thereto should 'say their say with brevity' whilst Directors of Ceremonies should confine their remarks to announcements of speakers without embellishment."

For the Southern District the G.I.L. also made a couple of sound observations.

"In a number of lodges I felt that the Director of Ceremonies was not really in charge of the ceremonial. On one occasion a Worshipful Master was not prompted when he omitted several lines of an initiates obligation. Several times overseas visitors when admitted had to make their own way to the dias.

"Some points which have been mentioned in past reports can profitably be repeated. Good Saluting adds much to the dignity of any ceremony and the occasional reading of lodge by-laws, portions of the Book of Constitutions and Manual of Procedure, equips brethren generally and incoming Worshipful Masters in particular with valuable information."

The Grand Master reported that he had opened extensions at the Masonic Homes in Launceston and Hobart. He also made a plea for dignity at the "festive board."

"There is one matter to which, I regret, I must refer; and that is to the occasional lapse in dignity observed during proceedings at the festive board. This is nothing new. As far back as 1695 it is recorded that Sir Christopher Wren issued an edict to the operative masons engaged in building the Cathedral of St. Paul's warning men that swearing would be sufficient cause to dismiss any labourer guilty of such impiety. Brethren, let us constantly bear in mind that the Festive Board always was, and still is, part and parcel of our Masonry. May we continue to enjoy the happy fellowship we find there unmarred by improper stories or entertainments."

At the same time he paid tribute to the organists of lodges who faithfully, month by month, provide harmony for the ceremonies.

The Grand Lodge held a special meeting for the purpose of confirming an amendment to the Book of Constitutions which ran: "No lodge shall appeal for funds to a lodge outside the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Tasmania without the approval of the Board of General Purposes."

TENNESSEE — 1969

155th Annual Communication — March 26-27.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. P. Quisenberry
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. J. Riley

Lodges, 388.

Membership, 94,352.

Loss, 354.

The Grand Lodge recognized the Grand Lodge of Southern Africa, but agreed to postpone any change in the relations with Cuba.

In 1968 the then Grand Master appointed a committee to investigate the possibility and advisability of establishing and maintaining a child development centre. The committee recognized that such a centre might be beyond the financial resources of the Grand Lodge but, while not able to recommend the proposal, did recommend the continuation of the study. They were conscious of what such a centre would mean to the community.

The Fraternal Reviews include only the Proceedings of the Grand Lodges of the United States. The reviewer paid particular tribute to M.W. Bro. Dwight L. Smith of Indiana, whose remarks have frequently been quoted in our pages. Brethren will recall his memorable address given at the Grand Master's banquet on July 16, 1969.

TEXAS — 1968

133rd Annual Communication — December 4-5.

Grand Master, 1967-68 — M.W. Bro. J. W. Chandler

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. G. Smith

Lodges, 975. Membership, 240,425. Loss, 1,281.

Four new lodges were constituted during the year. In addition, 14 "special representations" were called to dedicate lodge buildings and 24 to "level" cornerstones. Forty-two special communications made a busy year for the Grand Lodge officers.

The Grand Lodge operates a Masonic Home and School. At the Annual Communication in 1967 it was recommended that the Board of Directors continue a development programme with a view to raising \$8,000,000 in five years; \$5,000,000 as an addition to the endowment fund and \$3,000,000 for permanent improvement to the Home and School. The first year saw pledges in excess of \$3,200,000. The Masonic Home and School includes in its programme widows of Master Masons who live at the Grand Royal Arch Home for Aged Masons.

The Committee on Purposes and Policies dealt with numerous matters submitted to it by the Grand Lodge. The Committee stated its views on appendant organizations clearly and positively:

"During the year, as in many prior years, there have been received by Grand Lodge Officers and others communications from various organizations basing their membership in whole or in part upon Masonic connections and seeking to obtain recognition of such organizations for establishment in this Grand Jurisdiction. In accord with the long-established policy of Grand Lodge, such communications have not been given any formal consideration and no encouragement has been given to them to pursue their requests."

Several years ago the Grand Lodge began marking the graves of Grand Masters. By 1967, 36 graves had been marked. During the year a further 12 were added.

TEXAS — 1969

134th Annual Communication — December 3-4.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. G. Smith

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. Burnett

Lodges, 965. Membership, 238,540. Loss, 338.

The Grand Lodge held thirteen "special representations" for the purpose of dedicating lodge buildings. Twenty-seven dedications in two years imply much interested activity at the lodge level.

The Grand Master published monthly messages. In one of his earliest he stated:

"Any organization which is to succeed and prosper will face the recurring problem of recruiting and training exemplary leadership. The Masonic Fraternity is no exception. In a large measure, the achievement of Freemasonry's goal will be determined by how well we solve this problem. If we attract dynamic, aggressive, talented and zealous leaders we will have growing, vigorous Lodges."

In an effort to encourage newly-raised Master Masons, the Grand Master wrote over 3,000 letters, welcoming the new brethren and endeavouring to get them interested in the affairs of their lodges.

UTAH — 1969

97th Annual Communication — February 3-4.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. H. L. Riggle

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. B. M. Simons

Lodges, 31.

Membership, 6,454.

Loss, 128.

Utah is one of the Grand Lodges which has a grand oration. The W. Grand Orator this year was Bro. Aaron Hey. Unlike the usual oration which all too frequently reaches into the realm of politics on this occasion the speaker dealt with matters which would have been appropriate at any Masonic gathering. He covered many topics. One was the need for developing leaders. He believed that shortening the lines of progression might help. On the other hand, such a change would be unfair to those who had "come up the hard way." He had no ready-made solution. The speaker concluded:

"So much for this aspect of the practical side of the case; I would like to revert to the philosophical before concluding. Let us strive to extend the brotherhood of man, for thus can we best meet the challenge of the changing times, and, apart from the church or synagogue, we believe this can best be done by the spreading of those principles and guides to living which are revealed in our Masonic teachings. In order to do this we must develop and raise more accomplished Masons, and then further develop them, with a thorough knowledge of their Craft and with an insight as to how to apply our teachings to the problems of the day; coupled with the will to go forth into the world and put into practice what they have learned. Above all, let us maintain the truth; being true to our God, true to ourselves and true to our fellow men. Truth will in the end prevail over all the ills and changing values of the day, but the seeds of truth must be cultivated and they must be disseminated, in order that truth may become the almighty force we, as Masons, believe it to be, and which it surely is."

VICTORIA (AUSTRALIA) — 1968

Quarterly Communications, March 20, June 19,
September 18, December 18.

Grand Master, 1966-67, M.W. Bro. The Honourable
Mr. Justice Gillard

Grand Master, 1968-69, M.W. Bro. C. R. Darvall, C.B.E.

Lodges, 824.

Membership, 108,812.

Loss, 2,274.

Building in Victoria is complicated by the prohibition of the use of arc welders on any day "of total fire ban." Twenty-five days lost for this cause delayed construction of the Masonic Centre of Victoria. Nevertheless, considerable progress was made by the March 20 Quarterly Communication.

At his installation, the Grand Master told something of the Centre. The auditorium will seat 2,300. The supper rooms can be opened into one area to cater to 1,800 on a buffet basis. There are seven lodge rooms, seven rehearsal rooms, administrative offices, library and a museum. Since we do not receive the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge until just before our own Annual Communication and as the opening of the new building was planned for March 1969 our reporting is quite out of date.

One of the events of the year is the Annual Grand Lodge Choir Concert. (The Grand Lodge has its own choir.) Once again it was a success. The net proceeds, \$1,780 on this occasion, are divided between the Freemasons' Hospital and Royal Freemasons' Homes of Victoria.

VIRGINIA — 1969

191st Annual Communication — February 11-13.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. J. E. White

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. J. C. Roden

Lodges, 344.

Membership, 71,211.

Loss, 83.

The Grand Secretary had a busy year. His card file of active Masons is as complete as it is possible to make it. The information, naturally, is no better than that which the lodge secretaries furnish in their annual returns. More than fifty per cent of the thousands of cards of members who have died, withdrawn, or been suspended have been organized. All Grand Lodge records from 1778 to 1917 have been microfilmed. Now interested persons can search in the records without damaging the originals.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence told of troubled conditions in Egypt, where the present government is anti-Masonic in every way, and in Turkey, where trouble developed between the Grand Lodge of Turkey and the Grand Orient of the Scottish Rite. Regarding the Grand Loja de Colombia at Bogota, the Committee wrote: "There are presently thirteen Grand Lodges in the United States which have not yet recognized this Colombian Grand Lodge, ours being one of them. On the other hand it is recognized by the Grand Lodge of England and this is sufficient for your committee to recommend that we extend fraternal recognition to them." They also recommended recognition of the Grande Loja Do Estado Da Guanabara, at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

A special committee appointed to study the mounting costs of the Masonic Home and Masonic Aid Fund supported the principle that increasing emphasis should be placed on the use of Masonic aid to supplement, when needed, the income of elderly Masons who can remain in their home communities. They decried the taking of a member from his home community and friends if such action could be avoided. As they wrote: "The Masonic Home, be it ever so fine, will not fill the void when he is away from the place that he has made a part of his life for many years."

The Proceedings reported on an interesting item of Masonic history regarding the trowel used by George Washington.

"One of the proudest possessions of American Masons is the silver trowel first used by George Washington on September 18, 1793, in laying the cornerstone of our National Capitol with Masonic ceremonies. Within a very short time after its initial use, requests were received by Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22 to make the trowel available for the purpose of laying cornerstones of Masonic Temples, schools, churches and public buildings. The brethren of the Lodge realized that, even with the best of care, the trowel was showing the effects of repeated use. In order to protect and preserve the trowel for posterity, the Lodge had a replica made of the original. Now only on rare occasions is the original used for spreading mortar; the replica serving in its stead.

"We do not know how many times the replica has been used in place of the trowel from which it was patterned. Nor do the present members of Alexandria Washington Lodge know the date of the reproduction.

"We do know that the Replica Trowel has served well through many years, from, as our Grand Secretary on occasions has been heard to say, "a time whence the memory of man runneth not to the contrary."

"Last year Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22 had a second replica made of the trowel used by the Illustrious Washington."

WASHINGTON — 1969

112th Annual Communication — June 17-19.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. R. L. Gilmore

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. Frank E. Ulin

Lodges, 286. Membership, 62,107. Loss, 1,222.

To be technical, the Grand Master is called Grand Master of Masons in Washington and Alaska. He made two noteworthy rulings on which he reported.

“‘Degree teams,’ working directly or indirectly under the name or auspices of so-called appendant or concordant organizations or clubs, having as their primary purpose, expressed or implied, and using this means, to increase the membership of their respective organizations are to cease, desist and disband. (I have invited the members of said teams to return to their Symbolic Lodges and work under the direction of the Worshipful Masters). This, my Brothers, is not to be inferred as prohibiting teams of Master Masons conferring the Symbolic Degrees under the direction of the Worshipful Master.”

He also added “that it is improper to wear, in a Constituted Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, or at any public function of said Lodge, i.e. Funerals, Public Installations, Divine Services, Cornerstone-laying or Temple Dedication Ceremonies, the fez, hats, caps, uniforms or other apparel of the appendant or concordant organizations, and that only the apron of Master Mason, or the Apron and Jewels of Lodge officers . . . are to be considered Masonic Regalia.”

He ruled that the formation of a so-called “King County College of Masonic Knowledge” by the King County Masonic Library Association would be in conflict with many regulations and rulings.

WEST VIRGINIA — 1969

105th Annual Communication — October 13-14.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. G. W. Boyd

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. B. Lake

Lodges, 162. Membership, 47,119. Loss, 250.

The Masonic Scholarship Educational Fund noticed in these reviews last year has made great strides. The Grand Lodge accepted an offer of matching funds from a private foundation. They not only transferred the assets of an earlier fund to the

Trust but also made an assessment on the chartered lodges equal one dollar per member for a period of ten years. The aim is to raise an endowment of \$500,000. Many of the brethren have contributed a lump sum payment of \$10 to remove the need for their lodges to pay the assessment. They are given "Permanent Contributor Cards." The campaign has been so successful that the Grand Lodge has contributed \$195,000 which with the matching funds becomes \$390,000. Notices have been sent to every high school and private secondary school in the state, advising them that scholarships will be available to needy West Virginia students wishing to attend West Virginia University or Marshall University in the academic year 1970-71.

The Trust has been recognized as an independent tax-exempt foundation under the Internal Revenue Code.

Selections will be made solely by the selection committee of each university. Each applicant must be a resident of West Virginia and fully qualified for admission to the university in West Virginia of his or her choice. There is no requirement as to race, creed, color, or sex. Selections will be made on the basis of personal qualifications in the following order of priority:

1. Literary and scholastic attainments, scholastic aptitude (present and prospective), and intellectual promise;
2. Moral qualifications, including honesty, truthfulness, and the cardinal virtues of temperance, fortitude, prudence and justice;
3. Qualities of leadership, unselfishness, and social fellowship.
4. Physical vigor as evidenced by outdoor interests and fondness for sports, provided, however, that no applicant shall be disqualified because of physical handicaps which do not preclude intellectual achievements.

The selection of any scholar will not be based exclusively upon compliance with any one of the foregoing groups of qualifications, but substantial compliance with the first two groups will be deemed essential. Stipends for each scholar will be based on individual need.

In conclusion, the Chairman of the Fund had the following to say:

"Our scholarship program has met with widespread favourable public reaction and has evoked inquiries from several foreign jurisdictions. Undoubtedly it has already raised the public image of the Craft, and as the program goes into operation with scholars going into the universities and reports flowing back to this Grand Lodge and the press as to their accomplishments, this public image will be enhanced; and all of us may take a solemn pride in the

part, however small, that we have had in its achievement. But our purpose in this program is neither to receive the adulation of the profane, which is often fickle, nor to enjoy the personal satisfaction of accomplishment, which will die with us, but to carry on the ancient tradition of our Craft which, from its operative roots, has always been, and should always continue to be, the dissemination of knowledge for the benefit of all mankind."

WESTERN AUSTRALIA — 1969

Regular Communications — April 30, October 25.

Grand Master, 1965-69 — M.W. Bro. H. R. Collins
Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. R. A. Teasdale

Lodges, 316.

Membership, 20,156.

Loss, 233.

The Regular communication held in April is essentially a communication for the presentation of reports and consideration of business brought forward in a regular manner. The October Communication, the larger meeting of the year, was held in the "Basketball Stadium, Perry Lakes, Perth," to ensure that there would be accommodation for all those who wished to attend the Grand Installation.

The Perth Masonic Choir took a large part in the installation ceremony. The Board of General Purposes is endeavouring to increase the number of singers in the choir. M.W. Bro. R. A. Teasdale was installed. Distinguished visitors from Queensland, Tasmania, Victoria, New South Wales, and South Australia were present. The Installing Master was M.W. Bro. F. Gamblen (G.M. 1963-65), owing to the illness of the Grand Master. The newly-installed Grand Master gave a brief address in the course of which he said:

"Freemasonry has been and still is our greatest love and greatest training ground for both our public and private lives and has assisted us to take so many other positions, yet how often do we hear a brother say 'I could not attend my lodge, I had to attend a meeting of so and so.'

"Brethren, we should not allow other meetings continually to take priority over our lodge meetings. If we put Freemasonry first we will find it will still help us with our work in other organizations. Lodge meetings will become our refresher course. They will continue to be our reminders, and will build us up and strengthen us for other duties. Therefore, let us go forward with the watchwords 'Put Freemasonry First'."

WISCONSIN — 1969

125th Annual Communication — June 10-11.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. P. A. Risberg

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. D. E. Krueger

Lougés, 296.

Membership, 54,252.

Loss, 1,154.

The Masonic Home Endowment Fund is gaining momentum and it is hoped that as it increases some of the rising costs of the Home will be met. The Wisconsin Masonic Foundation gave \$15,000 to the Fund and also provided several Masonic scholarships for the University of Wisconsin and other universities and colleges in the State. The combined assets of the Foundation and Endowment Fund reached more than \$595,000, an increase of \$303,000.

The Committee on Foreign Relations recommended that fraternal recognition be extended to the Grand Lodge of Southern Africa but counselled delay in the cases of Pernambuco and Iran.

A resolution proposed which would have permitted fermented malt beverages to be served in Masonic Temples was laid over until the 1970 Annual Communication. A resolution which would have permitted lodges to furnish lists of members to other Masonic bodies was not adopted.

WYOMING — 1969

95th Annual Communication — August 25-26.

Grand Master, 1968-69 — M.W. Bro. O. Kosbau

Grand Master, 1969-70 — M.W. Bro. H. E. Wimer

Lodges, 55.

Membership, 12,329.

Loss, 180.

The Grand Lodge met twice in Special Communications to lay cornerstones. One was for a United Methodist Church, and the other for a courthouse.

The Committee to Re-digest Grand Masters' Decisions reviewed and, where necessary, revised all decisions from 1920 to 1968 and by including the decisions for 1969 were able to consolidate 50 years for printing.

The Grand Historian is gathering material for the centennial history which he is preparing for 1975. He is finding many items of interest in a number of lodge histories which he has received.

APPENDIX "B"

Address by Ill. Bro. George A. Newbury

at the

GRAND MASTER'S BANQUET

Held in the Canadian Room,

Royal York Hotel, Toronto, Ontario,

July 15, 1970.

THE GRAND MASTER: I am now going to ask M.W. Bro. Archbishop W. L. Wright to introduce our guest speaker.

M.W. BRO. ARCHBISHOP W. L. WRIGHT: M.W. Bro. Grand Master, Distinguished Guests and Brethren: Through the years I have been the recipient of many kindnesses and honours from this Grand Lodge, but no honour has been greater than that which is mine this evening in having the opportunity of introducing our guest speaker. To give a thorough outline of the accomplishments of our distinguished guest, would take as long as the address which he is about to deliver. It is a truism to say that he who introduces an outstanding personality to a group such as is represented here tonight, does not need to exhaust in detail the speaker's many accomplishments. On the other hand it would be unfair to be deprived of certain information which has given him international stature. Born in and receiving his early education in New York State, he graduated with his Bachelor of Law Degree from Cornell University in 1917, and immediately following his graduation he served in World War I. From 1919 to 1946 our distinguished guest practised law in Westfield, New York, and on his retirement from active practise he was named Executive Vice-President of the Manufacturers' and Traders' Trust Company of Buffalo, and he succeeded to the Presidency of the Western New York Areas largest independent banking institution in 1954, acting in this capacity to 1962. He is also a director of many recognized industrial firms, and it may be of interest to the Brethren to know that, upon his retirement as President of that Company, he was invited to become a Counsel to his old law firm and he continues to act, I believe, in this capacity. He has also made a definite contribution in the field of education, having served as a Trustee of Cornell University since 1960. Time does not permit me to outline in detail his formidable service in other channels of education. In all of this your distinguished guest has found time to devote his special gifts to Freemasonry over a period of 50 years. He has had a long and illustrious relationship to all branches of Freemasonry, and in September 1966 he suc-

ceeded the late George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, United States of America. I am glad to report that Bro. Newbury has actively assisted his church, which is the Presbyterian Church — I'm all for that, too — (laughter) as a Deacon, an Elder, and Chairman of the Finance Committee and its Board of Trustees, and in 1958 he became a Member of the Legislative Commission of the New York Council of Churches. Recognizing the many and diverse qualities which our guest possesses, he has justifiably received two nationally-known honours, first, The Justice Ford Kimball Award of the American Hospital Association, and the Silver Beaver Award of the Boy Scouts of America. What a magnificent contribution this man has made for his profession, for his country, for education, to Freemasonry and to his Church. We salute him tonight with that warmth and sincerity which characterize Freemasons everywhere, not least in our own Grand Jurisdiction. It is my pleasure to present to you Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, George A. Newbury, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Northern Body of Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, Brethren, how do you receive him? (Cont'd Applause.)

—Brethren rise.

M.P. GEORGE A. NEWBURY: Most Worshipful Grand Master, M.W. Grand Masters and Past Grand Masters, Right Worshipful Sirs, Distinguished Guests, my Brothers all: That was a most generous introduction and I will long remember it, Archbishop Wright. I seldom had the honour of being introduced by one of your distinction, and may I say to this audience that one of the sermons that I shall never forget, and you have heard me say this before, is one that you preached for us in our Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, that great Text from Timothy "O, Timothy, hold fast to those things entrusted to thy care." I have never forgotten it.

However, I am also reminded of something else at this moment: One of our distinguished citizens in Buffalo, New York, on receiving a rather generous introduction, rose and commented "a little flattery won't hurt you, provided you don't inhale it." (Laughter). I promise you I won't take a deep breath for the next few moments.

Perhaps, however, you may get a better impression of your speaker if I tell you a personal story on him. As a considerably younger man he was in the line in his symbolic lodge and on relatively short notice went into that line as Senior Deacon and was called on to give a certain part of the work. He gave it—we thought it went along pretty well but, before the Lodge adjourned, our old Trustee, Bro. Anderson, knew every word of the ritual and he rose on the sidelines saying "I want to congratulate you, George, on giving that lecture on rather short notice but I listened

for a few things in it that I did not hear!" Then, he added, "I heard a few others I'd never heard before!" (Laughter). So you may hear a few others tonight. (Laughter).

As I look out over this tremendous audience, I am told there are some 1,700 or more people who are here and, looking into your faces, you are the leaders of Freemasonry in the Province of Ontario, and behind you are some 125,000 Masons, I believe, in this great Province. What a tremendous force for good, and what a tremendous opportunity you men have to lead, to inspire, and to make that force felt in your communities.

Whenever I come to Canada my mind instinctively turns to some of the great Canadian Masons whom I have been privileged to know, men who have been great leaders in this Fraternity, not only in your own Dominion but far beyond its borders, many of them with world-wide reputations and I think of M.W. Bro. Clarence Pitts, whom we all loved so much; Thomas Wade; your recently departed Coulton Berkinshaw; Charlie Cunningham, James Simpson, George Ross, Douglas Fraser and many more; they made tremendous contributions to this Fraternity in their lifetime.

And now coming along are other great leaders who are with us tonight, men who have made great contributions in their professions, in their business, and who have still found the time and have had the inclination to work for Freemasonry. And I would say to you with all sincerity, as one who has watched Freemasonry develop across the border—I have spent most of my lifetime in Buffalo—Freemasonry has its glorious history here and a noble tradition which I am certain will be embellished by still greater achievements as the years go by. Our Fraternity, in my view, is a dynamic progressive force for good in society, and nowhere is that better demonstrated than in your great Dominion here in Canada, and that is what I would like to talk to you about tonight.

If I were to give a title to these comments, it would be something like "Freemasonry—a Social Catalyst" and I am sure that you would see in that title the suggestion that Freemasonry should be and is a force in society that reaches far beyond the confines of the lodge room and far beyond the limits of our membership, great though it is in your Province and elsewhere throughout the world.

Perhaps never in all history have the peoples all over the world been in such a state of confusion as we are in today. We are living in a period of change—great change and exceedingly rapid change. Some years ago I heard a speaker describe our times in which we are living "as days pregnant with change and progress." In light of current events, I am a little afraid that you might change the latter part of that expression and call them "days of change and chaos."

Change and the disturbances resulting from change are not new to this world. As a matter of fact, mankind has always lived in a changing world. Archeologists tell us that early man has lived through at least one ice age, and maybe two or three. Those changes were unquestionably catastrophic. History and the Sciences record a constant process of change in the planet itself and in all animate and inanimate things on the planet including man himself. We are all changing, as we are all in a very real sense the product of change. Change is nothing new.

But the changes that have taken place and are taking place in our time, however, differ from the changes in the past in that they have brought on unbelievable stresses and strains in the social order involving every country on the face of the earth. These in turn have had, and are having, political repercussions, bringing nations great and small to the brink of war and threatening a world-wide holocaust in which man's survival might be in doubt. The magnitude of the problem facing us today exceeds anything that man has ever faced in the past.

Also, as we have indicated, the issues today are far from clear. In the past, contending parties, although often misguided, have had a definite concept of what they were quarrelling about—territorial disputes, "Liebestraum"—power, the right to rule—religious beliefs. The issues were sharply drawn and they were clearly understood by the contestants.

Today this is not so. True, there is much talk about a conflict between two systems of government. But adherents of both systems profess to believe in the doctrine of self-determination. Clearly, the basic issues lie much deeper.

The young—especially students in our institutions of higher learning—all over the world, not only in our country but everywhere—are rebelling, often violently. But their outbursts invariably are triggered by some minor local incident which, in itself, would not excite them to such extremes were it not for some deeper motivation which I question if any of them could explain—let alone define with any clarity. True, some groups have definite objectives which they seek to attain. However, that cannot explain the seething unrest that is stirring among all the peoples of the world from those with the oldest and the most mature cultures to those who only recently have become factors in world society.

The world situation can be described only as one of chaotic confusion. Contention is everywhere. Causes multiply like mushrooms on a dewy morning. Yet when one seeks for the basic cause of all this uproar and strife, our search proves fruitless. Even the most profound students of History, Government, and Philosophy disagree as to what the basic issues are. Several centuries may elapse before the historians of some future time will be able to tell us just what it is we are really quarrelling about

in our time, just as historians of today can see underlying causes for earth-shaking events of the past of which those involved in them were unaware. Man is a complex creature and his inner motivations are almost always obscure. Certain it is that most of today's oratory is far afield from those basic underlying causes for today's unrest and turmoil.

Perhaps—and only perhaps—the eventual verdict of History may be that the troubles affecting our world today stem primarily from that age-old desire to conquer, to rule, and to dominate—and to its corollary, the determination not to be conquered, not to be ruled, not to be dominated. If such should be the verdict, it would be a sad commentary, indeed, on our vaunted civilization.

Perhaps—and only perhaps—it is only the simple desire of the many national and cultural groups throughout the world to secure or improve their own economic welfare in a situation where the resources of the planet on which we find ourselves appear in danger of proving inadequate to support its burgeoning population.

Perhaps—and only perhaps—the verdict may be that the thing which is proving so disturbing to peoples everywhere is the shattering emotion of "FEAR"—one nation's fear of the intentions of another—the fears of cultural or social groups which visualize their aspirations being thwarted—perhaps, and only perhaps, an instinctive and universal fear of the unknown in a world where knowledge, seemingly, has outgrown the ability to cope with it and to turn it to useful and desirable endeavours.

However, whatever the underlying reasons for the turmoil and strife involving all of us in the world today, I would like to suggest to you tonight, as the leaders of Freemasonry in the Province of Ontario and many throughout the rest of your other Provinces and the States, whatever the cause of all this turmoil and strife, that the Masonic Fraternity can provide, and has the opportunity to provide, a part of the answer.

The basic principles on which Freemasonry rests are as old as time. How far back in time the roots of the institution of Freemasonry go is open to question. It is unlikely that it ever will be fully authenticated. However, there can be no question but that the principles on which it rests and for which it stands go back to the very beginnings of man's struggle up from savagery. A belief in God, honour, justice, personal morality, the idea of respect for one's fellows, toleration, brotherhood, and all the rest—civilization began when men first started to develop these concepts. Suggestions of them appear in the most ancient records man has left in his stone carvings and cave images. We find them in the writings of the prophets and teachers of every people and every land—in the Ten Commandments, in the Sermon on the Mount, in the New Law given by Christ to His disciples, in the Koran of the Mohammedan, in the Veda of the Hindu, in the

philosophies of Zoroaster and Buddha, in the primitive religions of the American Indians and of the many races of Africa.

These basic principles, concepts, and rules of conduct were developed and have grown out of man's experience over the ages as he strove to improve his lot and to establish a more viable social order first in the family, then in the Tribe, the Clan, the Nation and, in our day, in the United Nations. They are no formula that came out of the original thinking of a committee or the debates of a conference or parliament. Their origin, to quote one whom I believe to be the greatest leader of our time, has come out "of the blood, the sweat, the toil and the tears" of all the generations of men.

And we may add they have stood the test of time. Read history as you will, in the final analysis you will be forced to the conclusion that man has succeeded in his endeavour to live happily and successfully on this planet in so far as he has governed himself and his affairs in conformity with those basic principles. His failures have been notable for his neglect of them.

Those who today would cast these time-honoured truths to the winds, proclaim that "God is dead," seek happiness in a permissive morality, set generation against generation, and man against man in all his multitudinous relationships, will discover sooner or later that they are flying in the face of history, and in the face of the hard-learned lessons of history.

Our Masonic forebearers wisely took these fundamental principles as the basis on which to erect and establish our Fraternity. Herein lies its strength and the reason for its success.

And I say to you that whatever lies at the roots of the tortures afflicting us in the world today—whatever the ultimate verdict of history as to the reasons for the mania seemingly possessing people everywhere, the answer will be found—and will be found only—in our reliance, individually and collectively, on a way of life governed by and established on these time-honoured principles.

And now let me be more specific.

There is much of truth in the biblical thesis that the forces of good and evil are in a state of continuous warfare. Certain it is that each of us wages such a battle within ourselves every day of our lives. This never was stated more strikingly than by Joseph Fort Newton in a line of that famous dissertation of his "When is a Man a Mason?" You will recall it goes—"When every man knows that deep down in his heart every man is as noble, as vile, as divine, as diabolical, and as lonely as himself, and seeks to know and to love his fellowmen." We all have a dual personality of good, and of evil, of the divine, of the diabolical—we wage that battle every day.

It is equally true that this battle between the forces of good and evil goes on within groups of men in all their associations and in the councils of the nations, and we know all too well that good is not always the victor.

We have had a tragic example of that in our time when a great nation, under leadership that can be described only as diabolical sought world-wide conquest on a platform of hate—hate so venomous that it found expression in the murder of millions of innocent victims in nothing short of a reversion to barbarism.

Regrettably, the lessons of that awful experience still go unheeded. In the Far East, the near East, among the new nations of Africa and even in some areas of our Western Hemisphere, we find national leaders whipping up the emotions of their peoples with vitriolic appeals to hate. Equally regrettably, we find presumably sincere men preaching hate in the name of reform and in the name of causes all men would acknowledge to be worthy.

Some of the darkest pages of history have been blackened by the demon of hate and not a few of them have found him pursuing his evil ends in the name of honour, of virtue, of justice, even of religion. But history may record that the blackest of all those pages have been written and are still being written in our time. What a sad commentary it would be on our supposedly enlightened times if the Twentieth Century should go down in history as the Age of Hate.

When! Oh when! will men learn that nothing good can be built on a platform of hate. Hate destroys. It never builds. Neither can any good thing rise out of the rubble left by the destruction wrought by hate. It will contaminate the good in every cause and the character of those who seek to further it.

Of all the forces of evil at work in the world, we can safely say there is none more disruptive of peace and harmony in the social order than the vice of hate and very possibly there is none more prevalent. It lends itself to explosive oratory and appears a quick and easy way to acquire a following. Needless to say, it is the antithesis of everything that Freemasonry stands for and believes in.

In the arsenal of the forces of evil we find some other potent weapons with which mankind constantly is being scourged—selfishness, intolerance, injustice, the big lie (so big that the unwary accept it as truth), blasphemy and ridicule of virtue, and others of like nature.

Against all these Freemasonry arrays its firm belief in God and the Brotherhood of Man, and the teachings inherent in that belief. It opens on its altars the Book of the Sacred Writings of its prophets and teachers, and directs its votaries to guide their

steps through life by the light they there shall find and as they there shall find it. It admonishes its adherents to stand uprightly as men and ever to walk and act as such before God and Man, obeying God's laws and the laws of their Country. It enjoins upon them the obligation of personal morality. In short, it urges adherence to all those basic principles tested in the furnace of time by which and by which only men may hope to establish and maintain a viable society, in the family, in the community, in the nation, and in the world.

In opening these remarks I said that if I were to give them a title it would be something like — "Freemasonry — a Social Catalyst." To be that, it is necessary, not only to have a philosophy, but to make it an effective working philosophy within the framework of the social order. A philosophy is a lifeless and impotent thing until men give it life and vitality.

In seeking a definition of Freemasonry we have sometimes suggested that "Freemasonry is Men." It was later suggested that this might better be "Freemasonry is Men in Action." And it is that, for it is only as men take hold of our Masonic philosophy and Masonic teachings and are inspired to put them to work in their lives and in the society in which they move, that Freemasonry comes alive and exerts an active impulse for good. And it is to that end that you men are leading the great army of one hundred and thirty odd thousand Freemasons in the Province of Ontario. Clearly such was the intent of our calling—our founders.

One does not need to go far in reading the writings of Preston, Oliver, Desagulier and others, who followed them in that period before we realize that they visualized an institution that would be a potent dynamic force in their communities and in the Nation. And it has been that, not only in the land of its origin but in the many countries to which it has spread over the past two-and-a-half centuries.

Go to any country in which Freemasonry is established and visit with the Masonic leaders there. You will soon sense that the teachings of the Masonic lodge room are finding a practical application in their activities. Those of us who grew up in small communities and joined the local country Lodge, can testify to its influence in those communities. If I may be pardoned for making a personal reference, I will never forget when my father told me, "George, I hope you will grow up to be the kind of man who can become a Mason." Freemasonry has been a tremendous force for good in the communities, far greater than we have realized. The influence of Masonic Lodges in our larger cities may not be so apparent—but nevertheless on close examination it will be found to be very real. Freemasonry has had an influence—and I daresay a far greater influence than we realize—in shaping the cultural development of Western peoples, and it is good to note that in recent years that influence is spreading to the Near and Far East.

The challenge to Masonic leadership today, Masonic leadership I find before me here tonight, is to make Masonry ever more effective—a challenge that should come home to us with poignant force in view of the circumstances in which we find ourselves in this seventh decade of the Twentieth Century.

For all too many the Masonic Lodge is something to which one simply belongs. Having gained the right to carry a membership card, to wear the square and compass and the privilege of attending meetings—which latter is all too frequently availed of—they feel that all has been accomplished. To dispel this attitude is a very real challenge to each and every one of us who stand in a position of leadership, and a rugged test of our ingenuity and our determination.

Freemasonry—a social catalyst! We are beset by problems today—beset by them on a magnitude never before experienced by man—beset by them in the councils of the Nations—in our Parliaments and Congresses—in our States and Provinces—in our local communities—yes, even in many of our families. I ask you to reflect on the suggestion that whatever those problems and whatever the basic causes underlying them, their solution will be found in our adherence, individually and collectively, to the practice of those simple basic virtues born out "of the blood, the sweat, the toil and tears" of men down through the Ages—virtues proclaimed by the great teachers of mankind in every Age; in a reawakening of our respect for the noble attributes of truth, honour, justice, moral righteousness and decency; and in a return to a humble and sincere belief in God and in the Brotherhood of Men—all men everywhere.

Here is a mission for Freemasonry—a mission in keeping with every tenet of her philosophy—a mission worthy of her greatness and of her glorious history and traditions—a mission which, well-performed, will see Freemasonry doing its part to help lead men through this "Time of Troubles."

In closing may I leave with you a thought beautifully and powerfully expressed by James Russell Lowell:

"Once to every man and nation
Comes the moment to decide
In the strife of Truth with Falsehood
For the good or evil side
Some great cause, God's new Messiah
Offering each the bloom or blight
And the choice goes by forever
Twix't that darkness and that light."

My Brothers, we stand at such a moment in history. And, God willing, may history record that in this critical time Free-

masonry rose to its greatest height and did its part to help a struggling world to find the light.

—Continued applause.

—Members rise.

DEPUTY GRAND MASTER WILLIAM BAILEY: Most Worshipful Sirs, Distinguished Head Table Guests, and my Brethren: A small boy came home from school; he told his mother he was in real trouble; she said "what's the matter?" He said "my teacher is insisting that I write legibly, and if I do that she'll learn that I can't spell." (Laughter). "Well, that is the tough spot that I am in just now. Bro. Newbury, I can understand the tough spot that you were in a few minutes ago when you had to take up from the stirring message from this delightful choir. May I quote these two lines: "Errors, like straws, on the surface flow." "He who must search for pearls, must dive below."

Bro. Newbury, you have taken us below the surface and the veneer of Freemasonry and have invited us to share with you the pearls of Freemasonry that you have discovered in your many areas of exploration, in your many seas of Freemasonry. Of necessity, each one of us must discover his own pearls. You sir, have challenged us to dive and re-dive into our seas of Masonry, to not only discover the pearls but to polish them until they become priceless to ourselves and an adornment and an inspiration to others, to be, as you have said, that force for good in our communities.

And now, my Brethren, Bro. Newbury has paid you the compliment, and has paid me a compliment, that we represent the leaders of Masonry and, may I say, 125,000 Masons in Ontario. He has challenged us to be the leaders. You have shown him tonight your appreciation of his message by your attention and your applause. But the greatest tribute that you can pay him, or that we can pay him, is to go back to our Lodges, go back to our communities and endeavour to make Masonry that force for good, to make it really live and be meaningful.

Bro. Newbury, we have had a tradition of inspiring messages, and we will ever be indebted and will long remember this challenging evening. Thank you. (Applause).

THE GRAND MASTER: Illustrious Bro. Newbury, the words of our Deputy Grand Master and the applause will indicate to you the sincere appreciation of everyone. Any further words on my part, except to add my own personal thanks, would only detract. Hence I officially pass on to you our heartfelt thanks for your splendid contribution to the 1970 G.M.'s Banquet. (Applause).

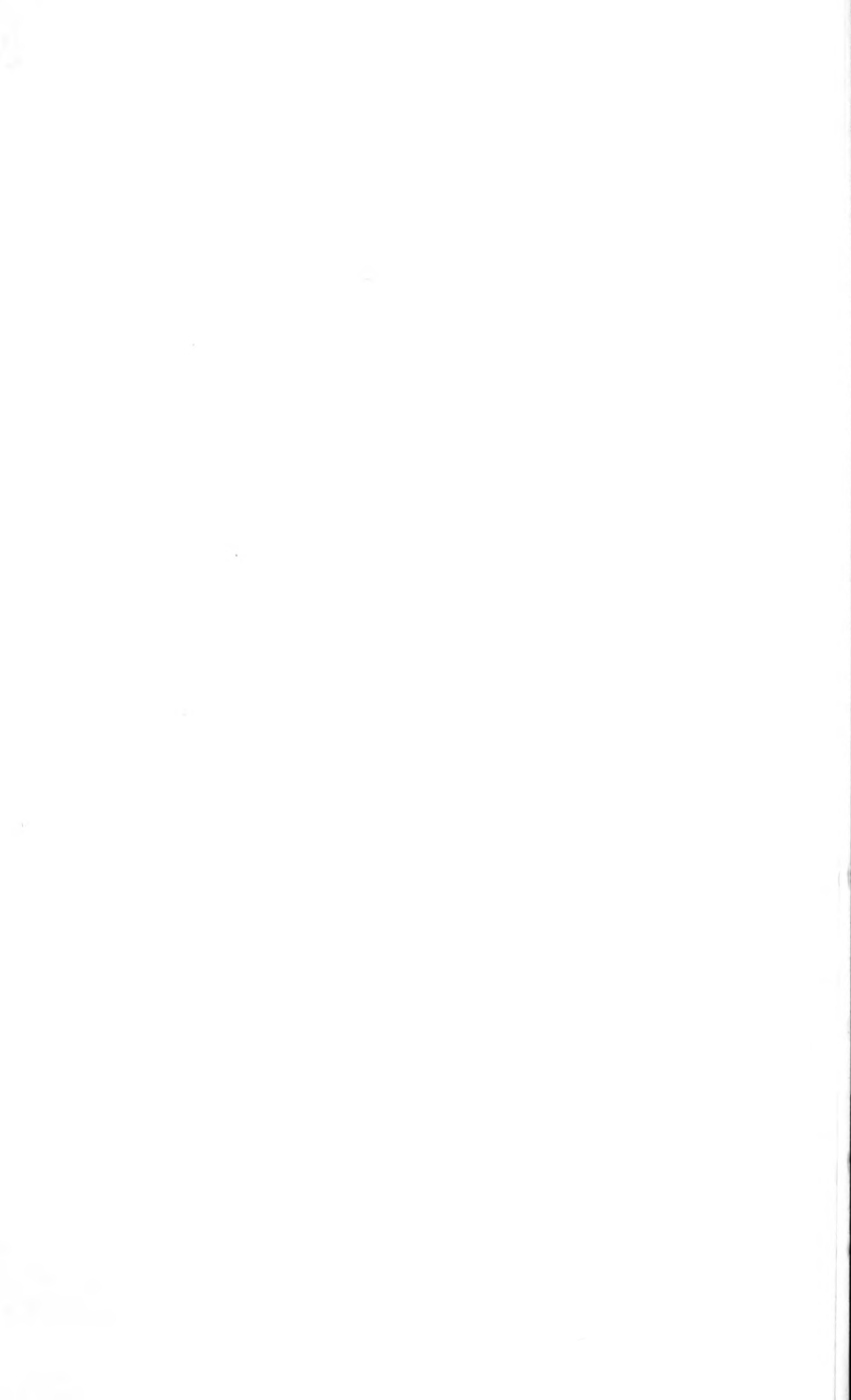
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